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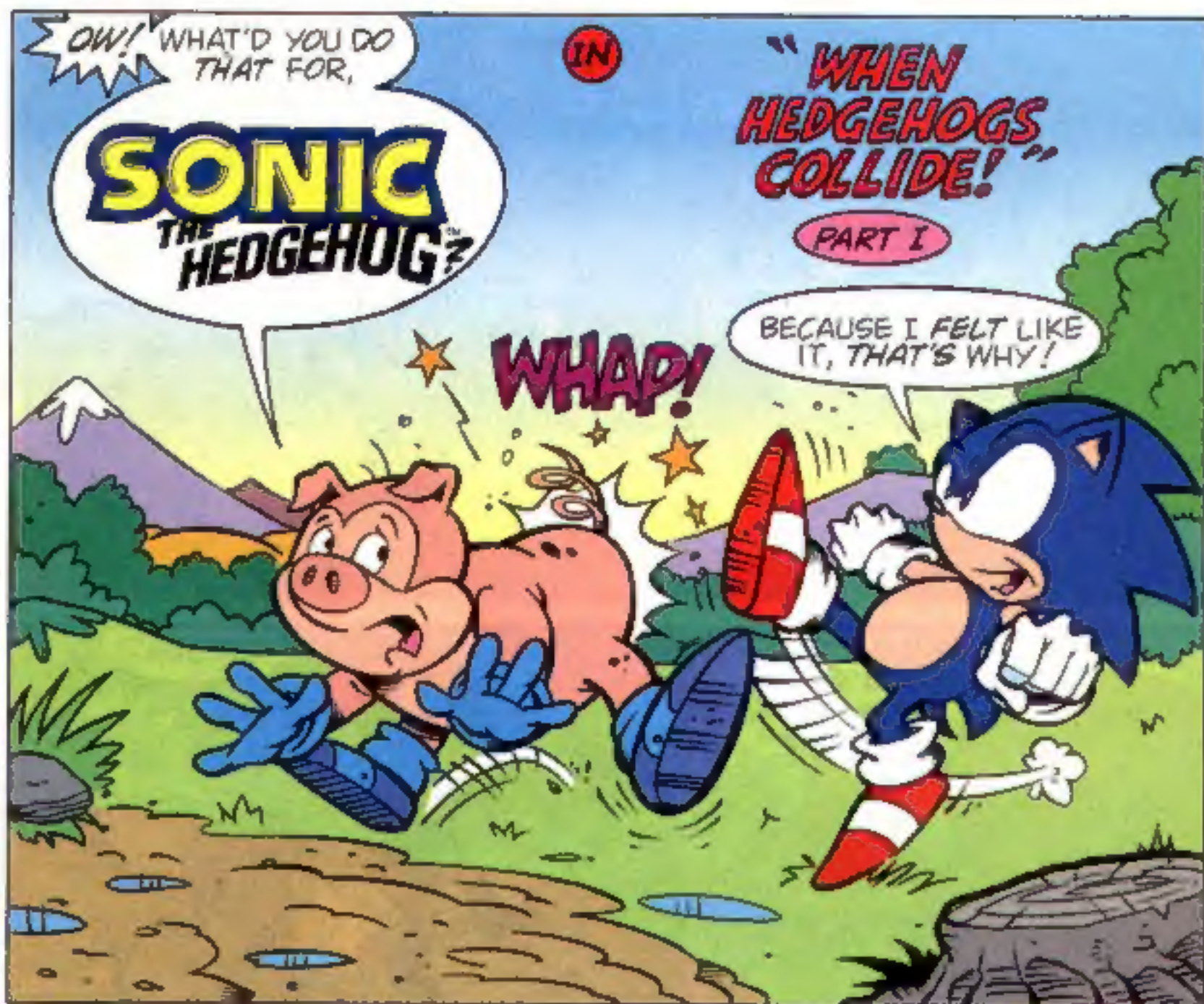
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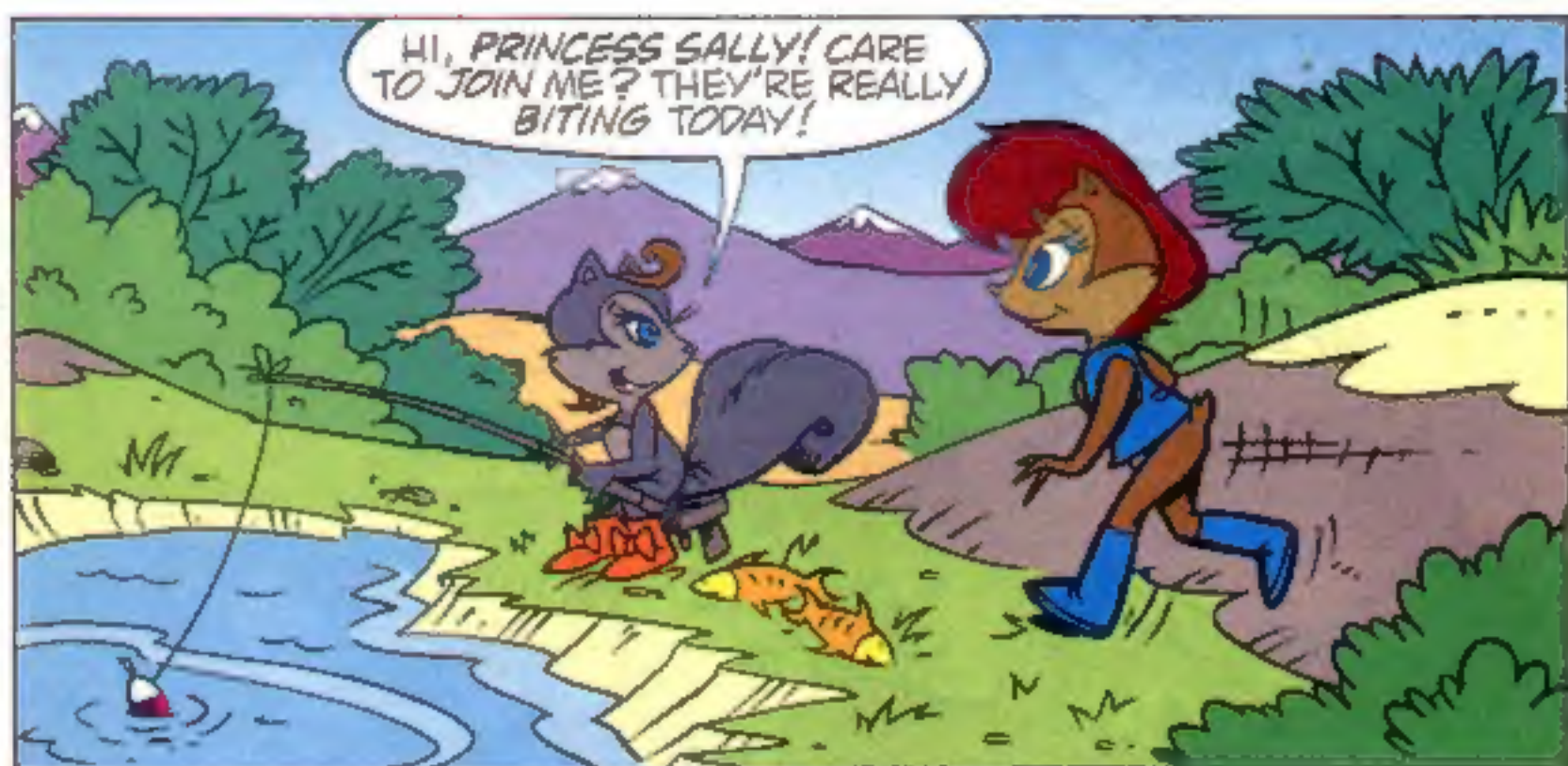
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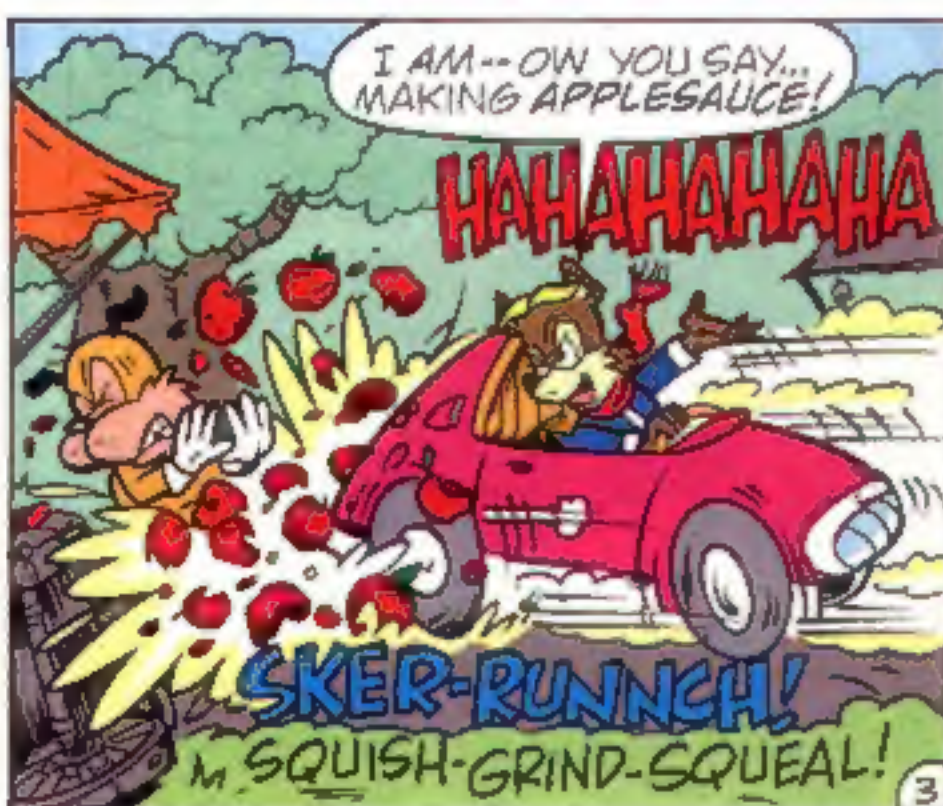
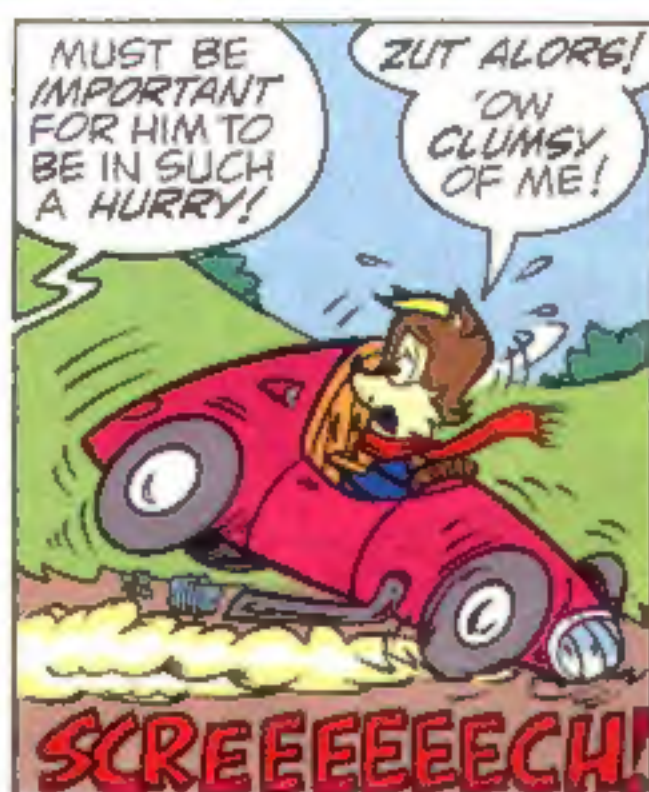
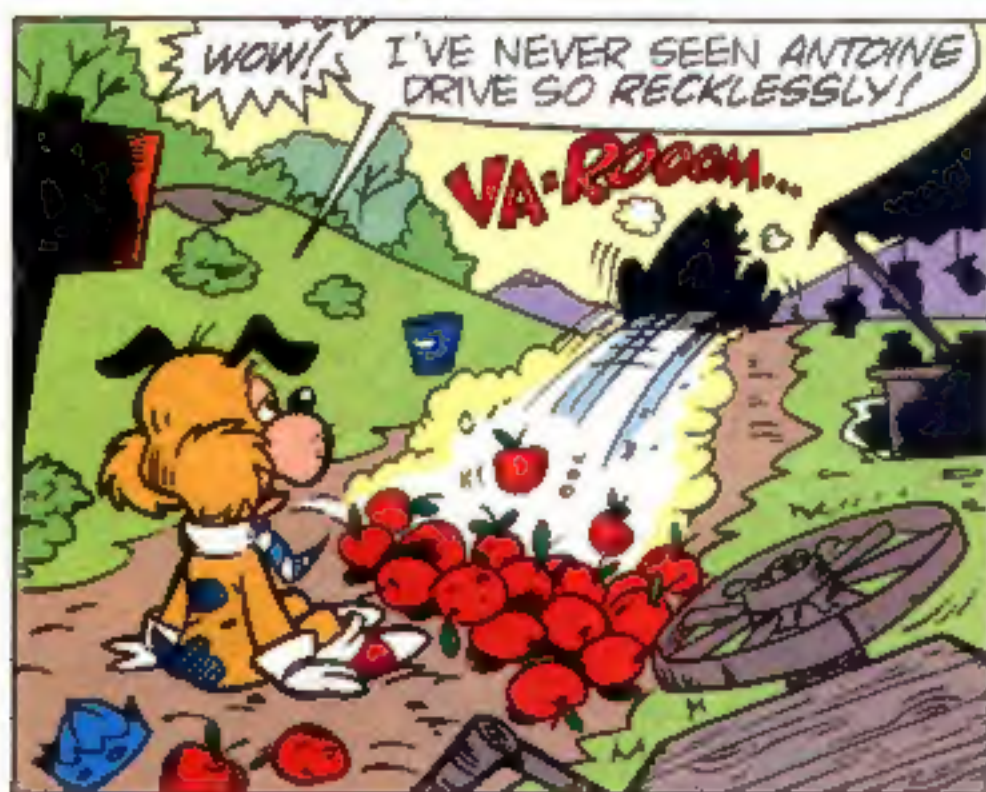
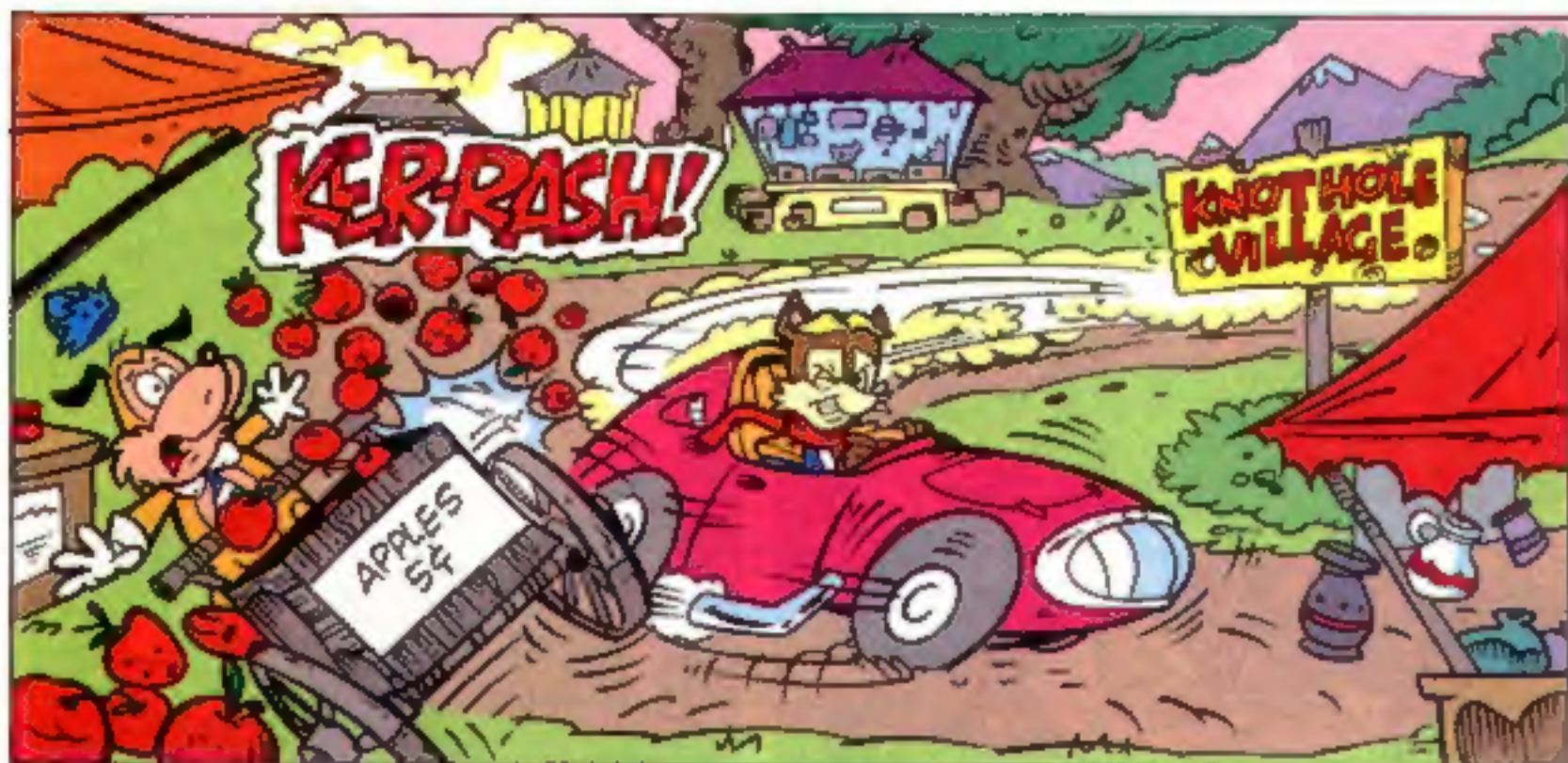
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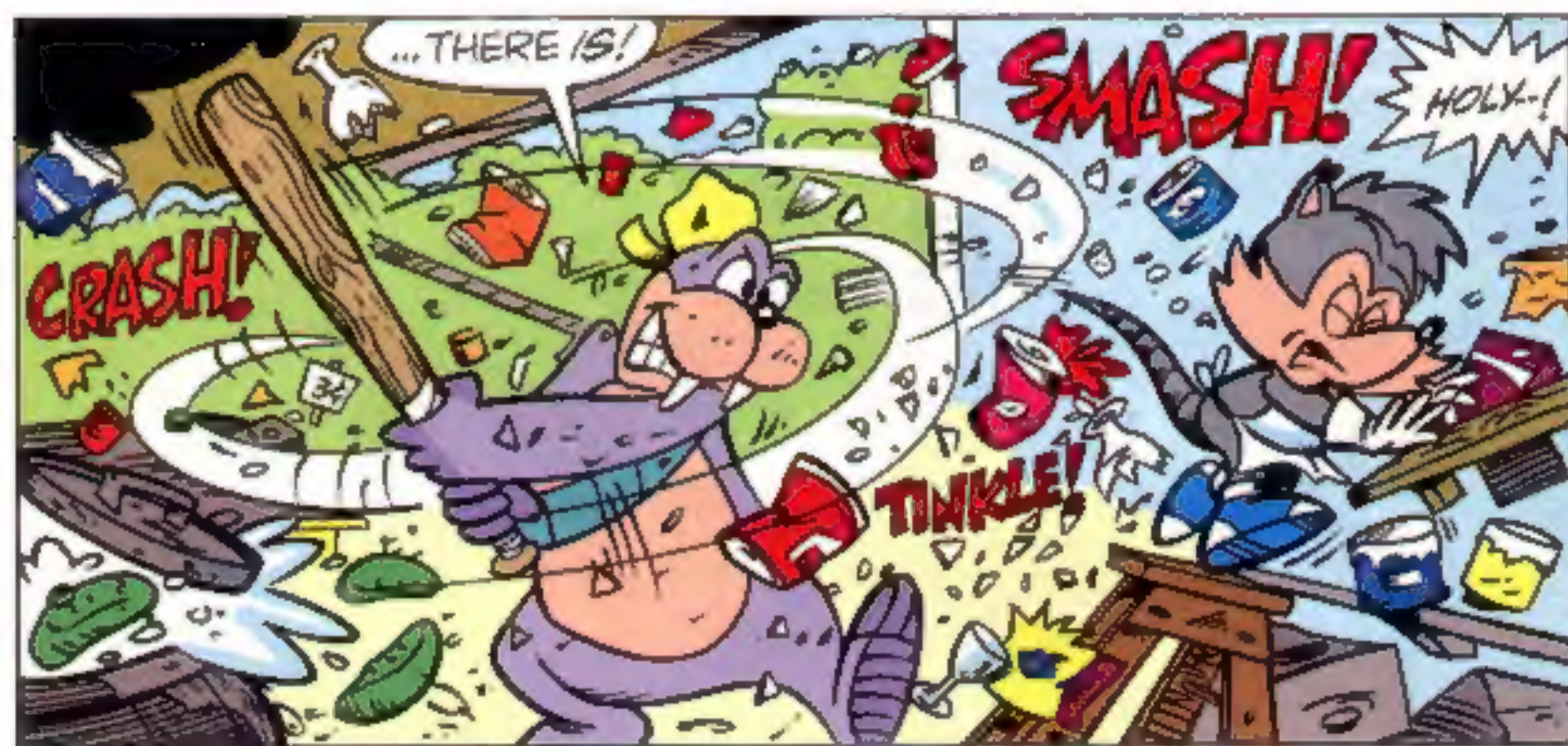
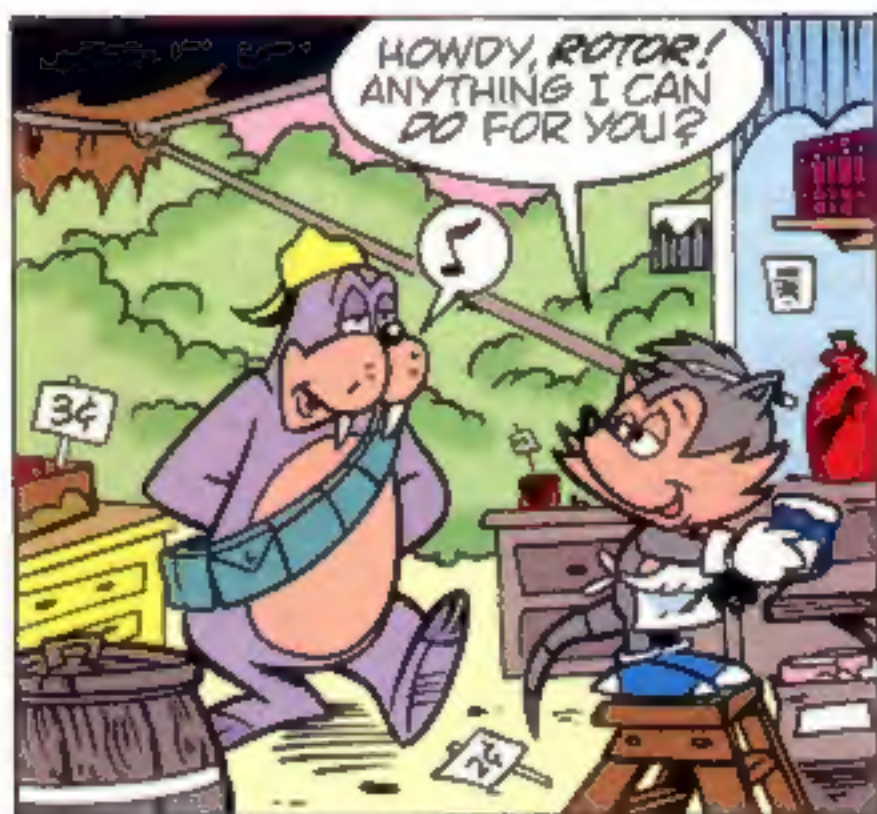
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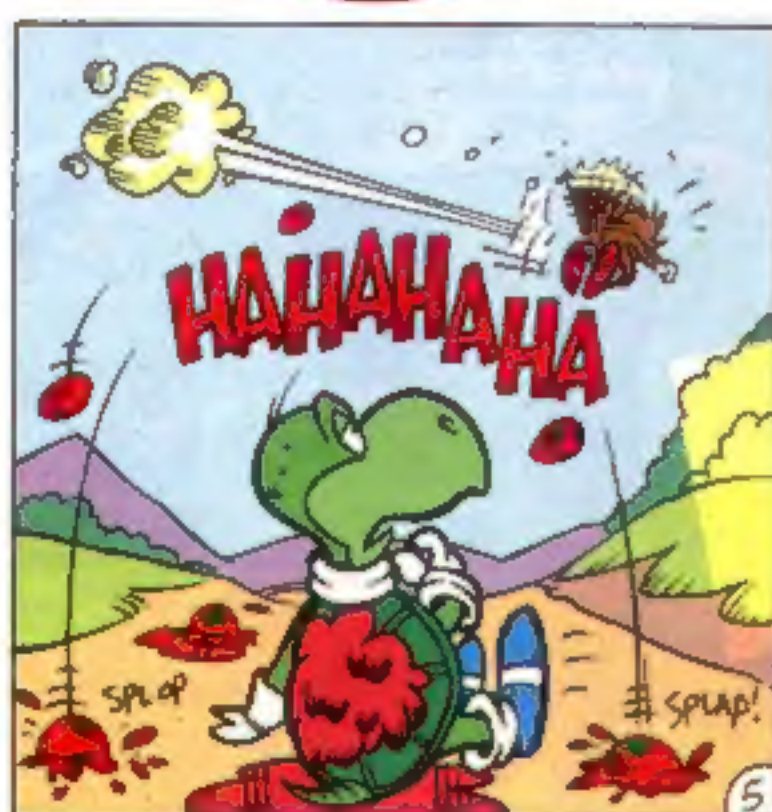
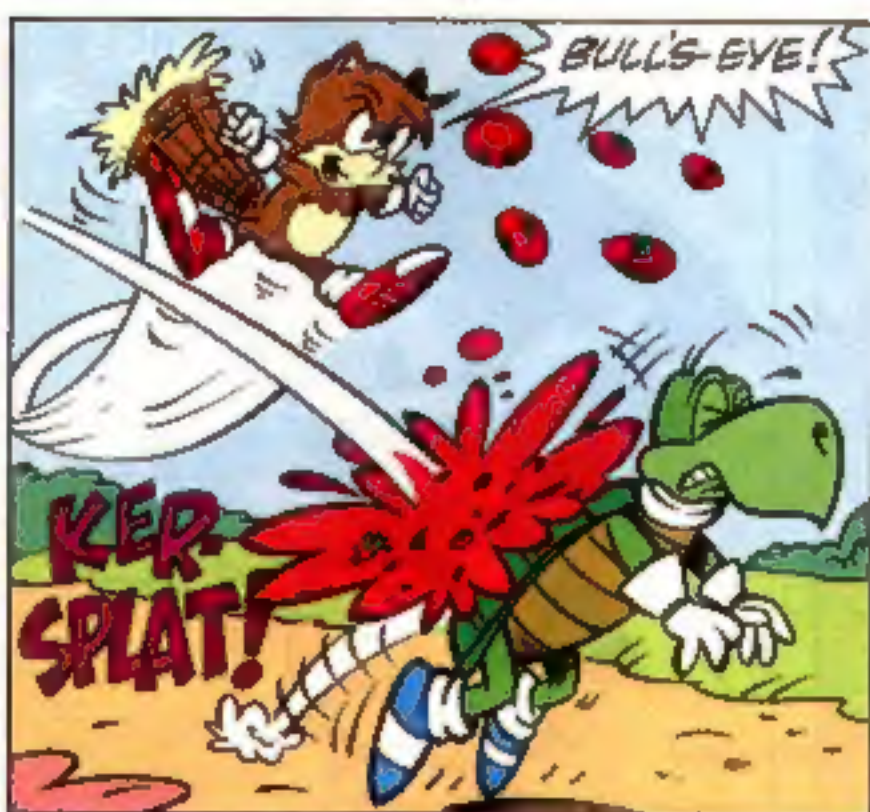
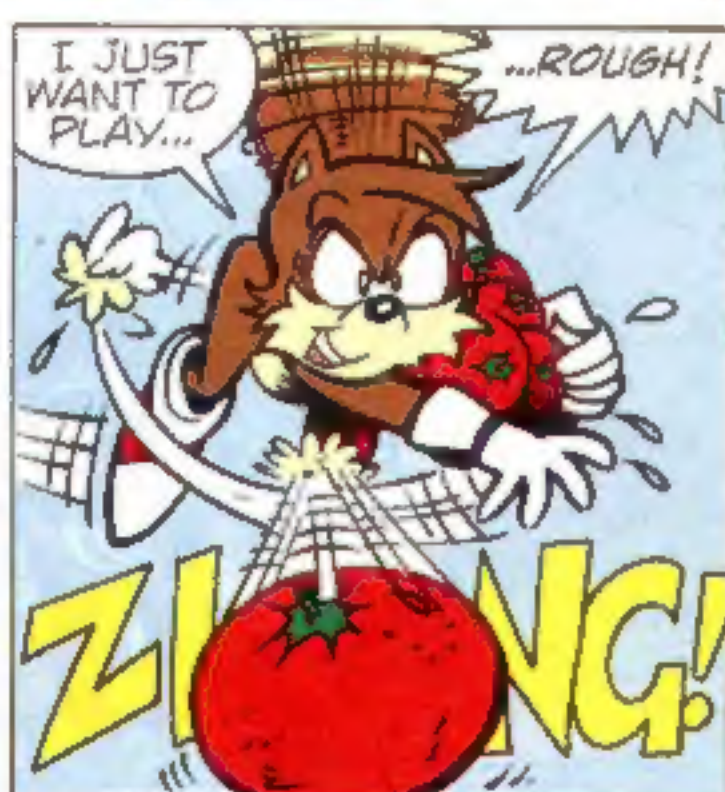
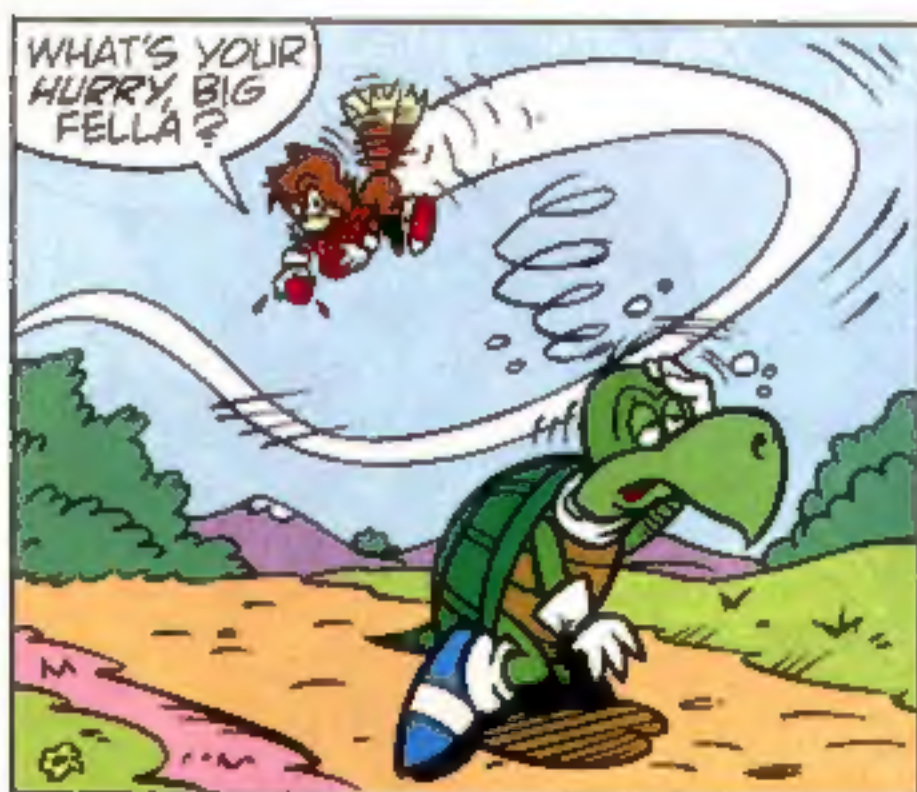
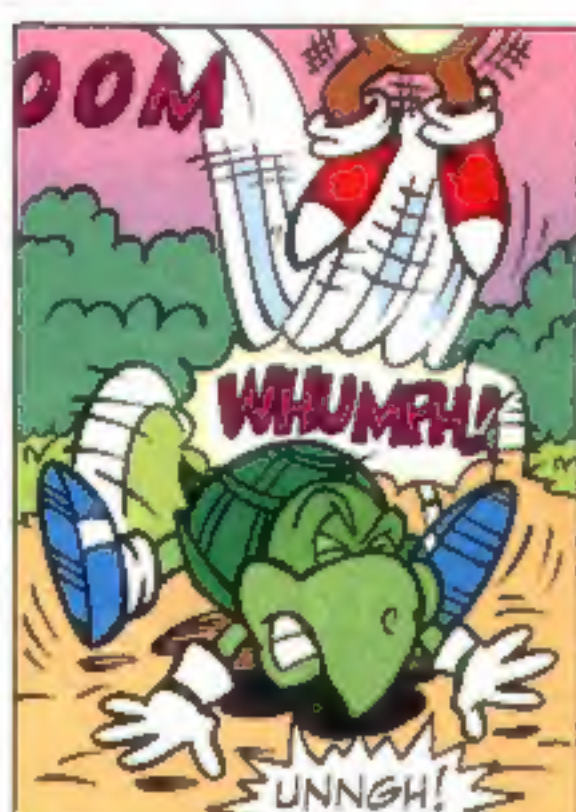
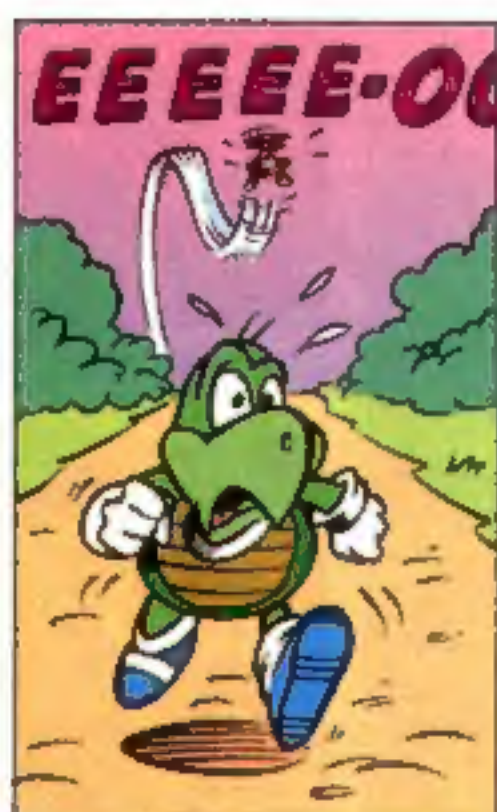


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IT!

BY NOW, YOU'VE
PROBABLY GUESSED
THAT WASN'T THE
REAL...

SONIC THE HEDGEHOG™

AND HIS FRIENDS!
SO, WHO WERE THEY?

BORED,
BORED,
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SAME OL'
ROUTINE,
DAY IN AND
DAY OUT!

**"WHEN
HEDGEHOGS
COLLIDE!"**

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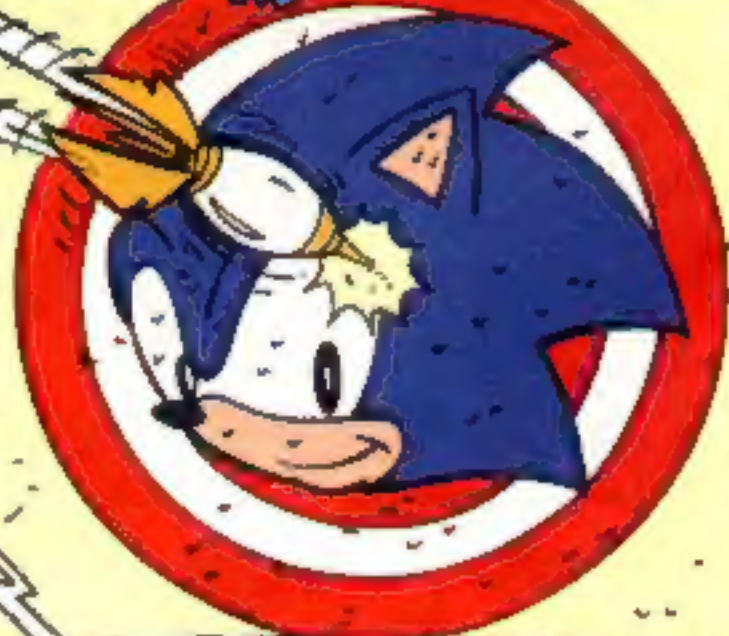
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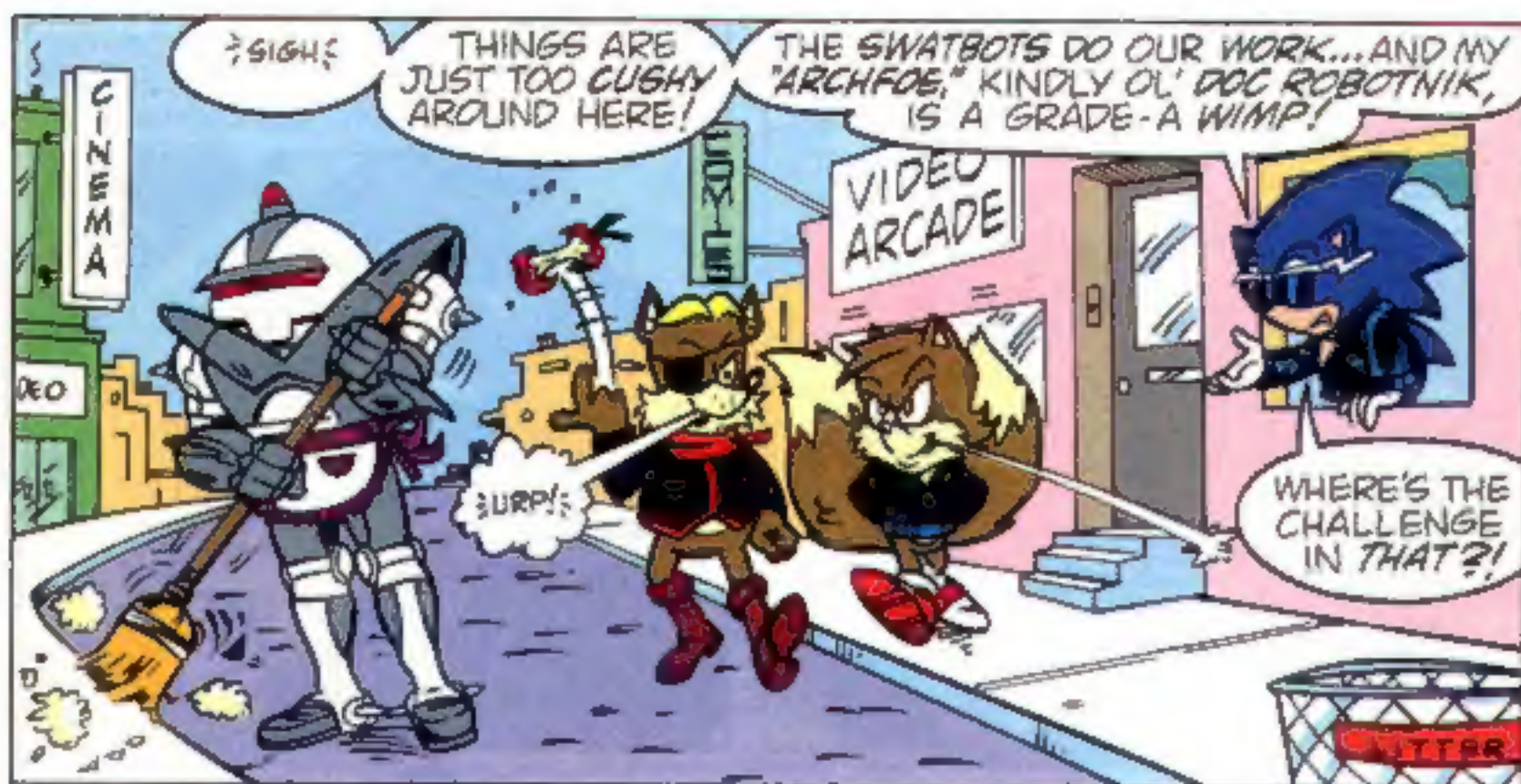
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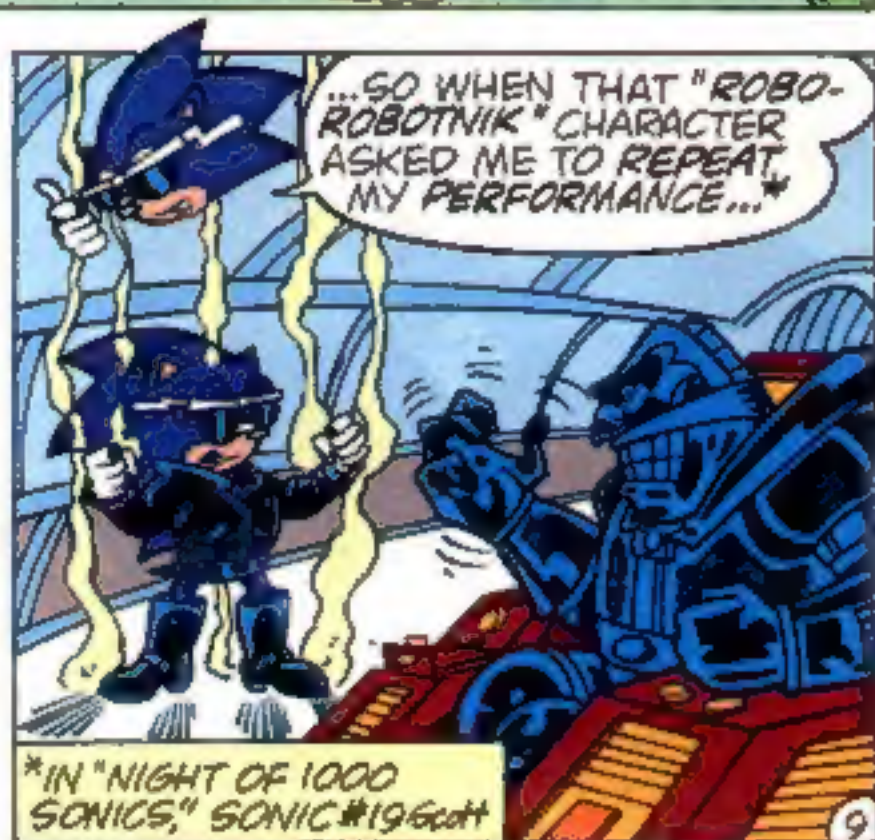
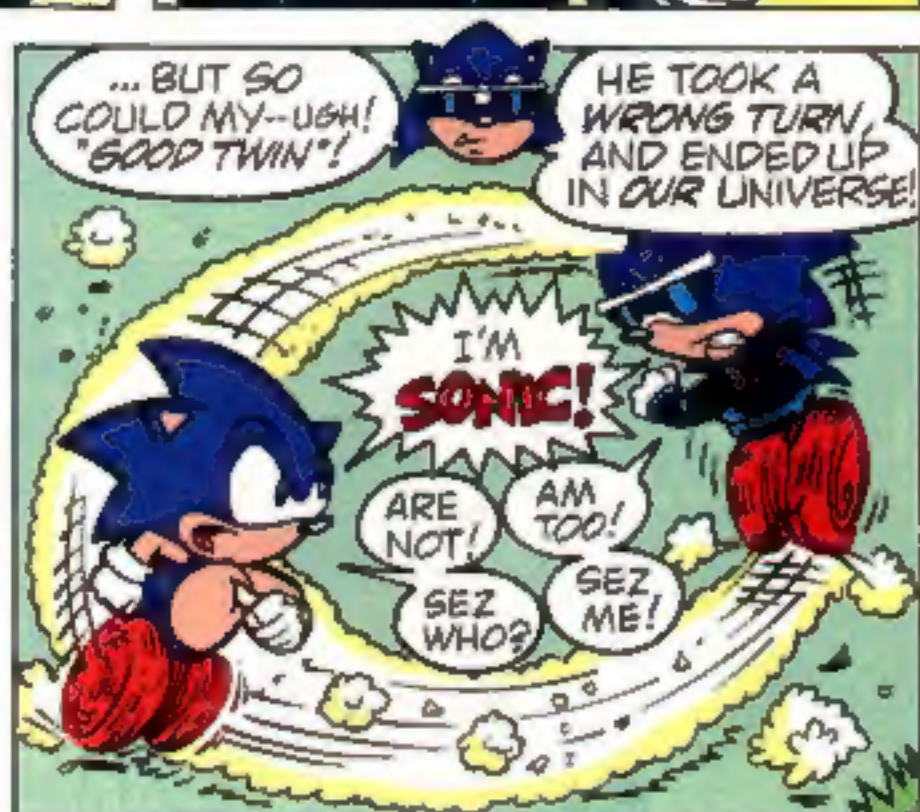
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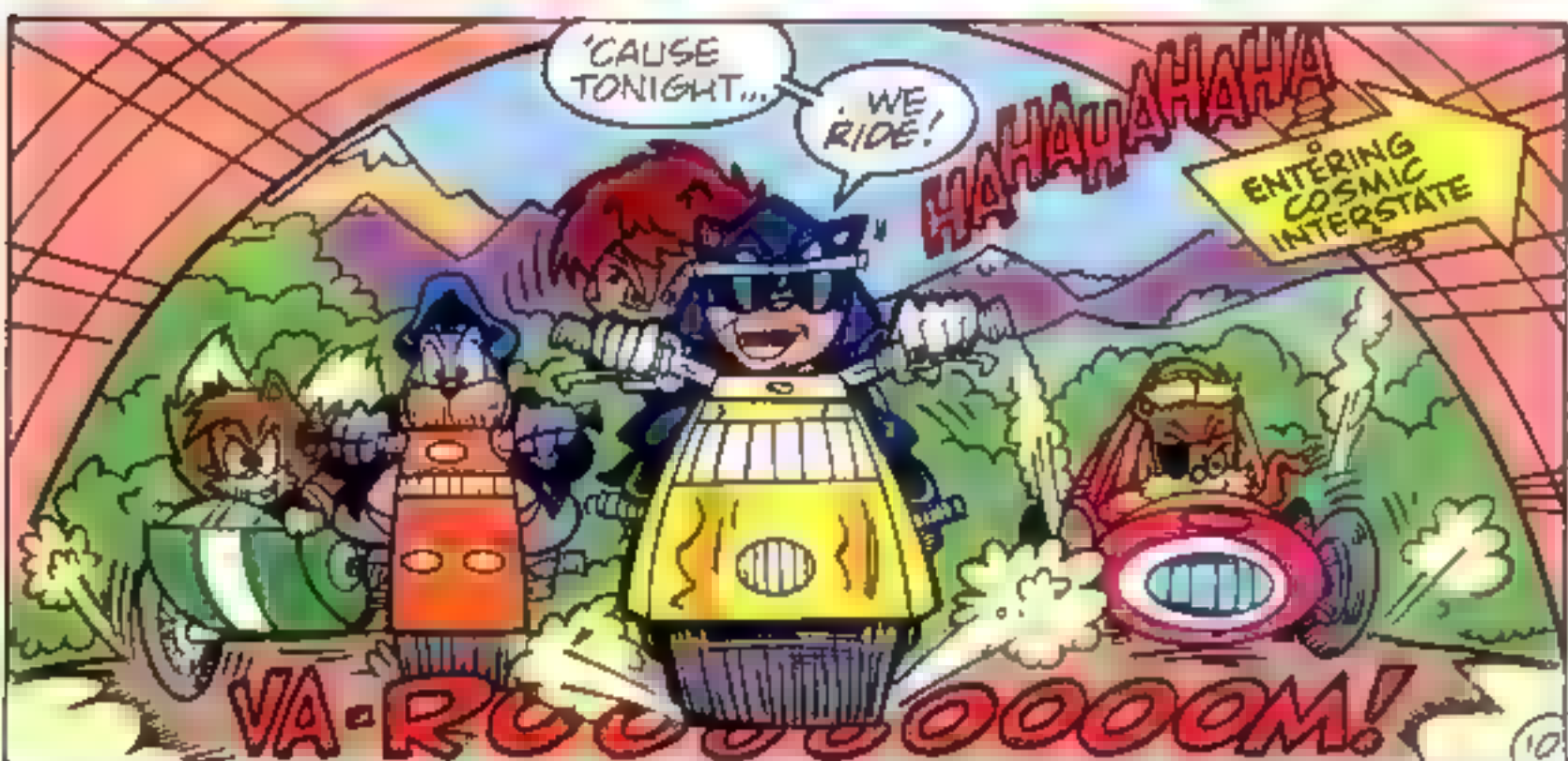
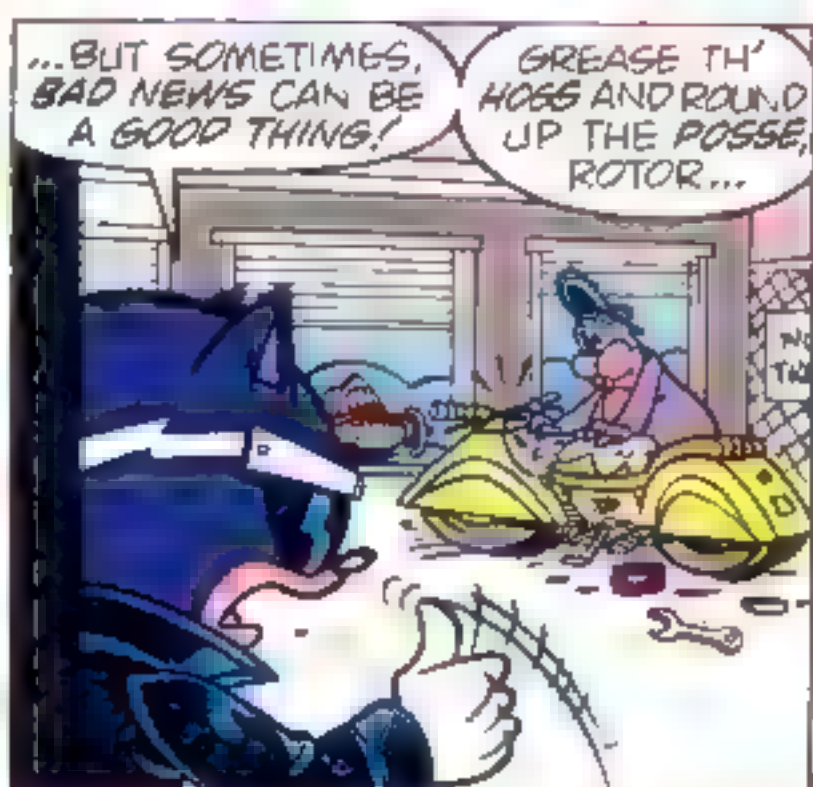
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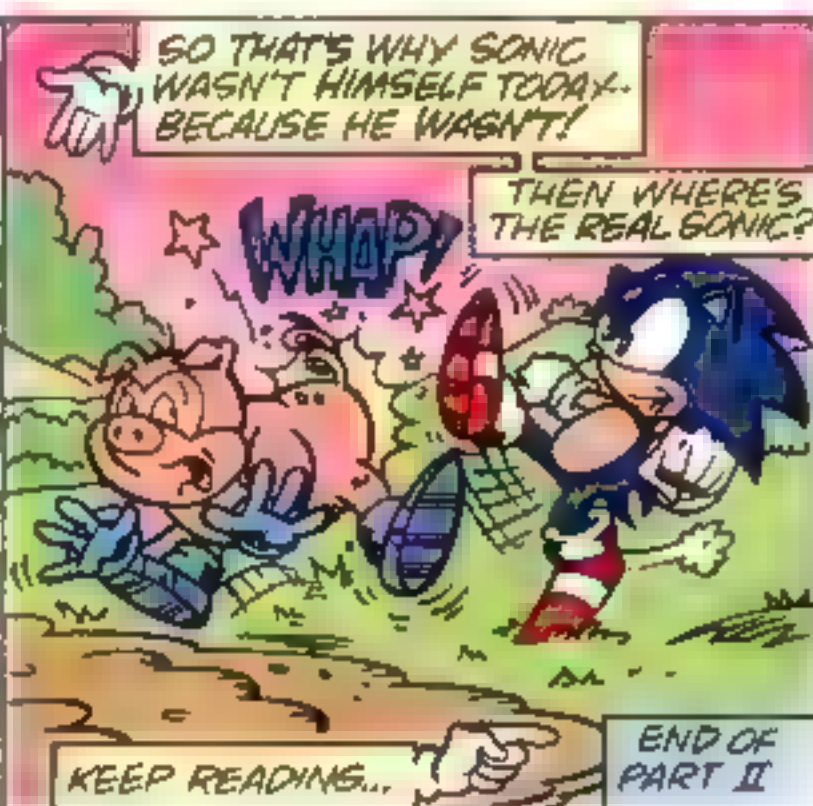
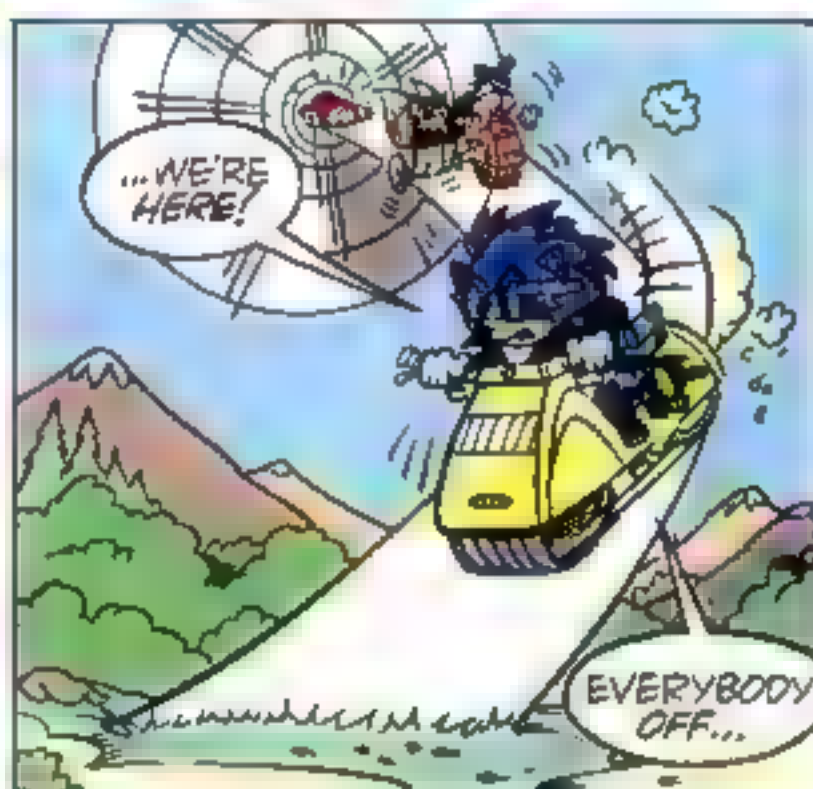
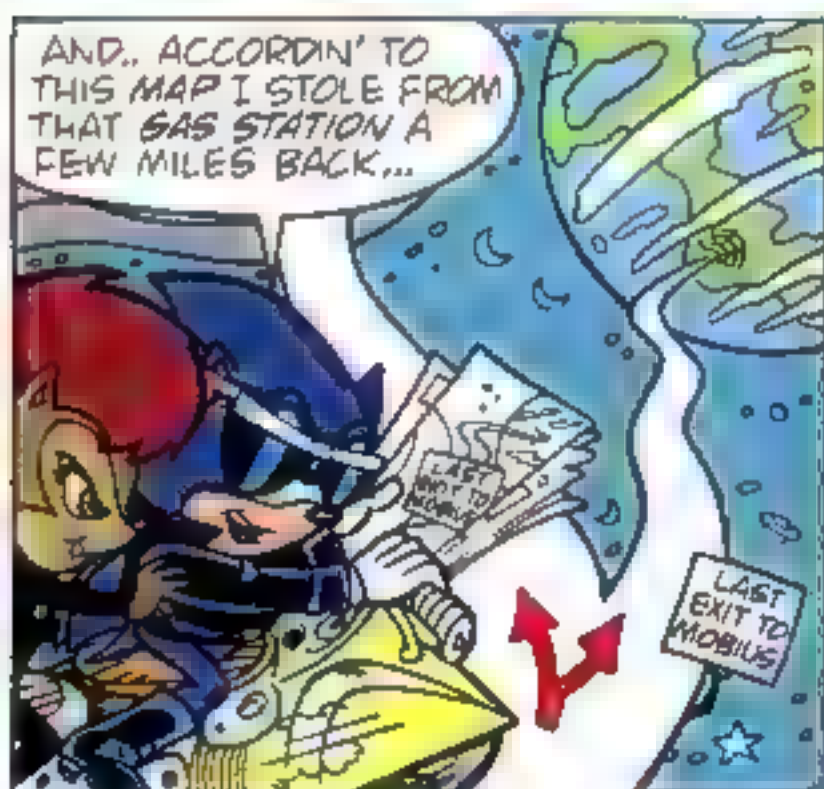
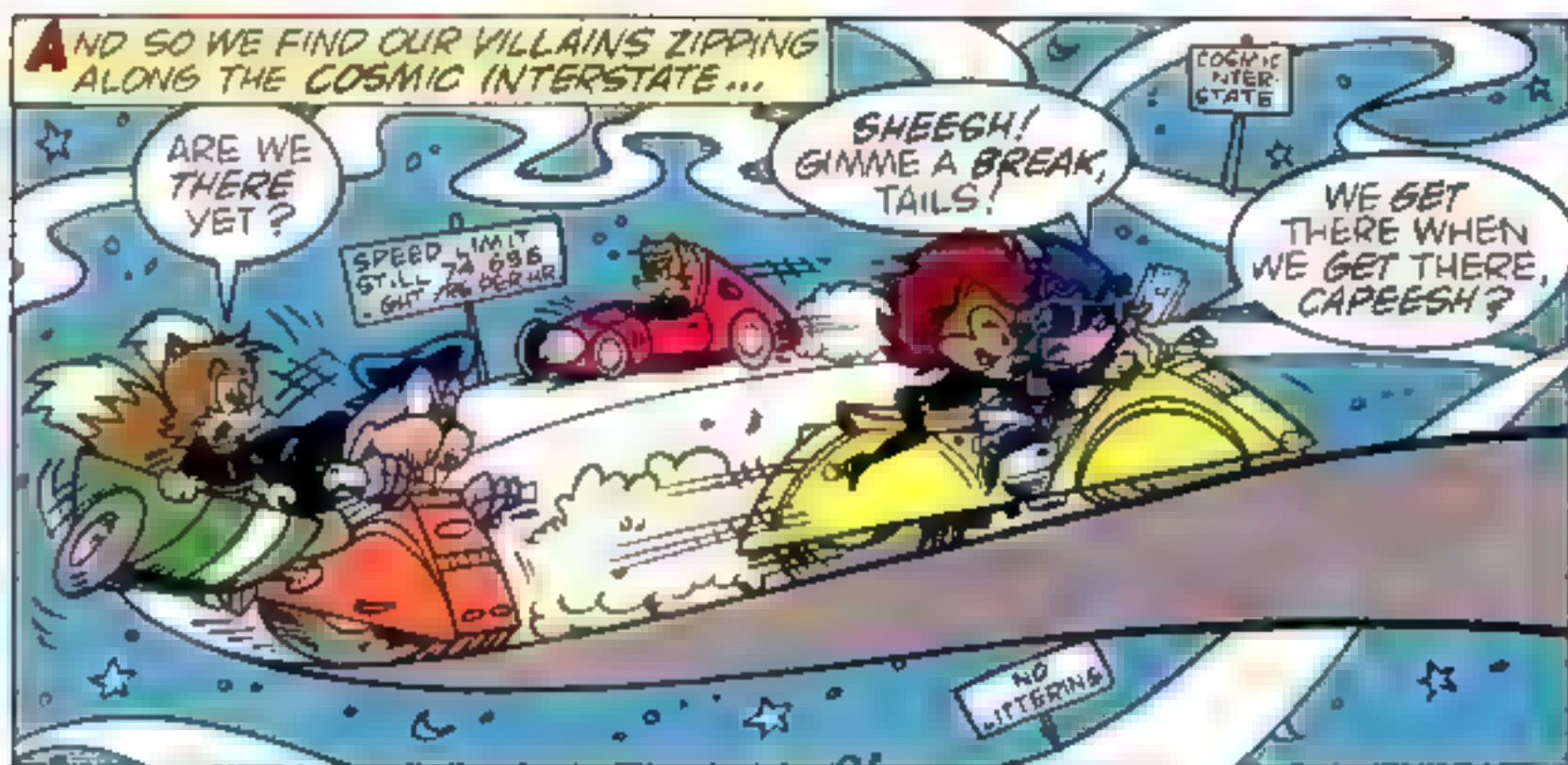


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BUTT-HEAD SONIC THE HEDGEHOG! 7



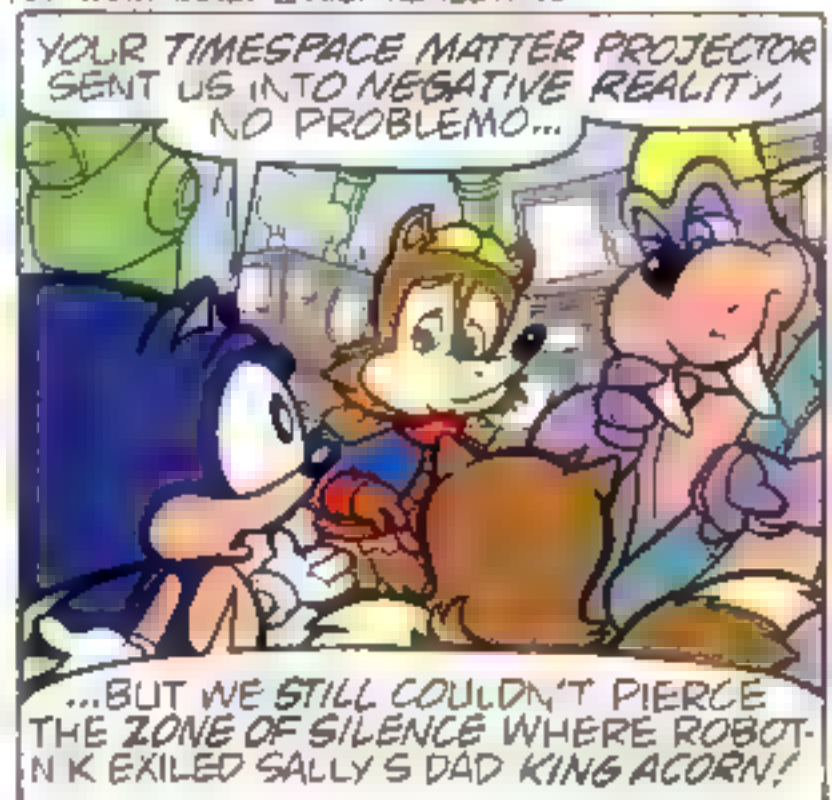
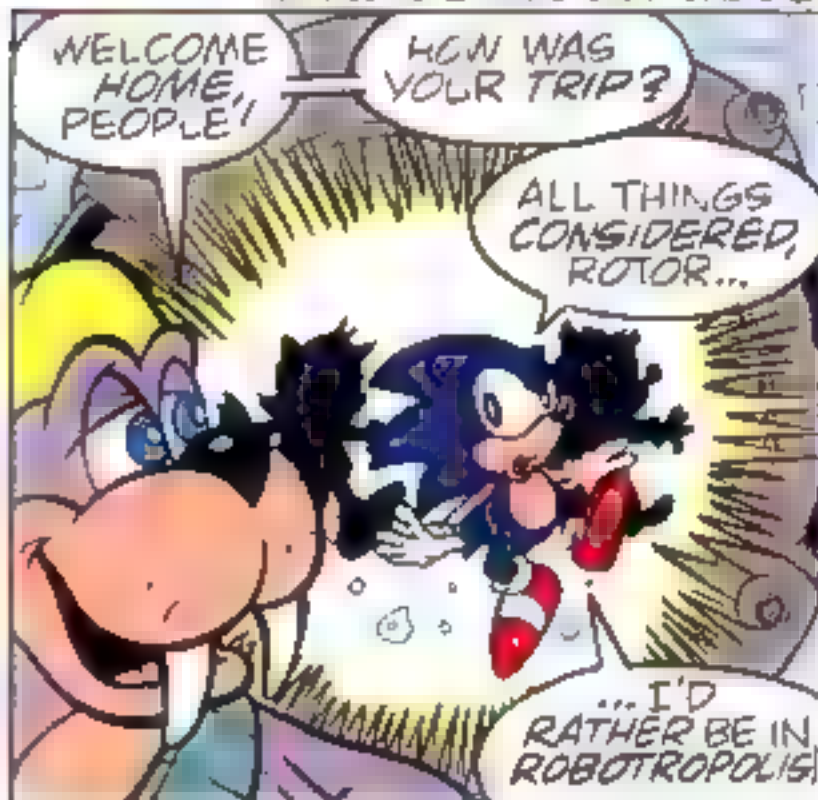


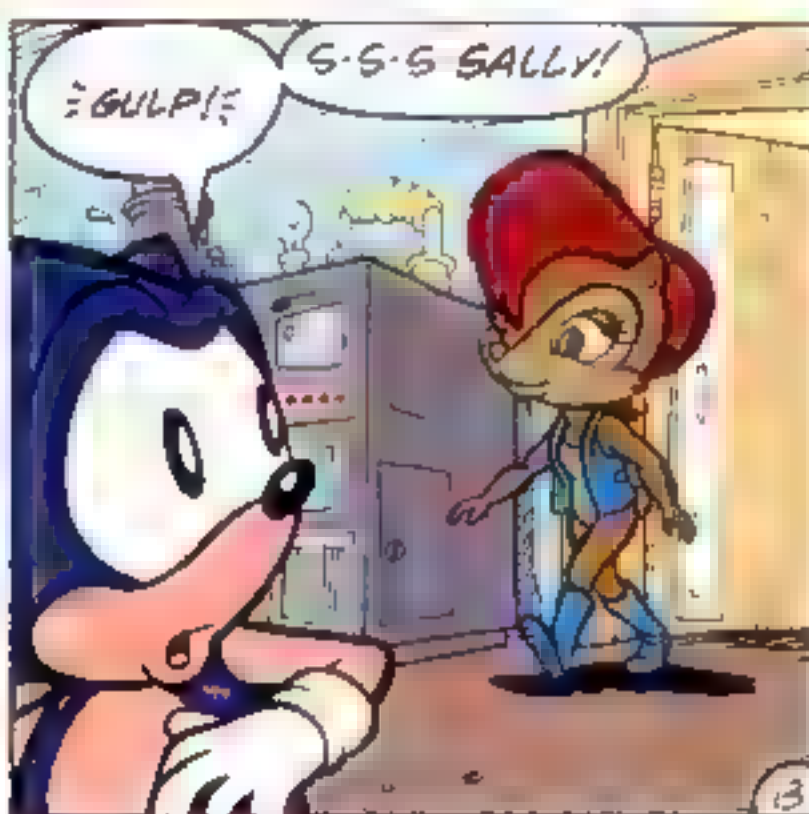
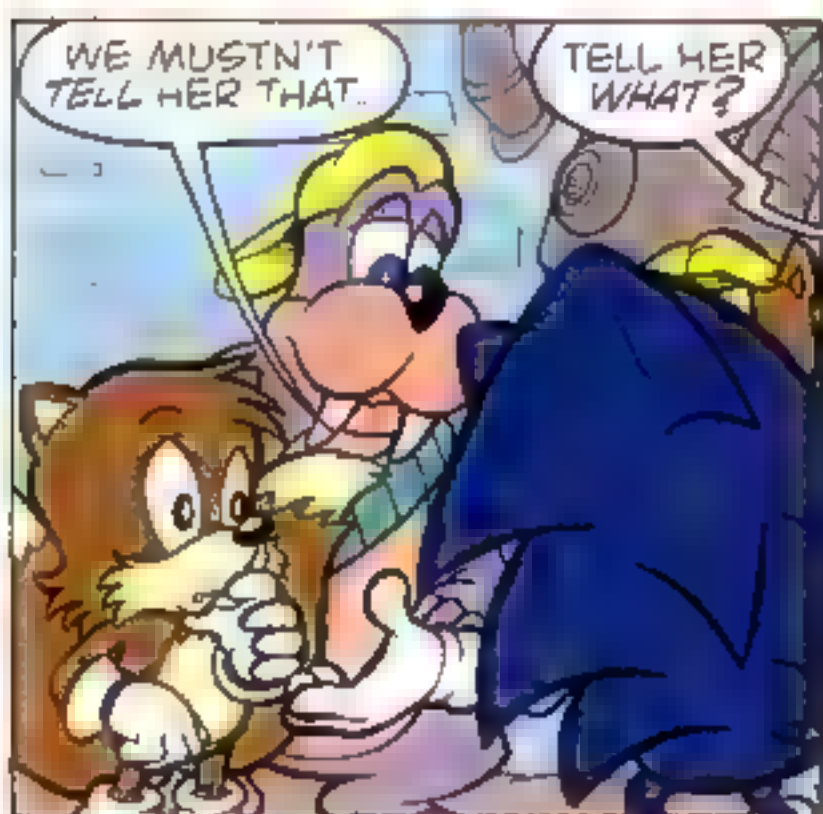
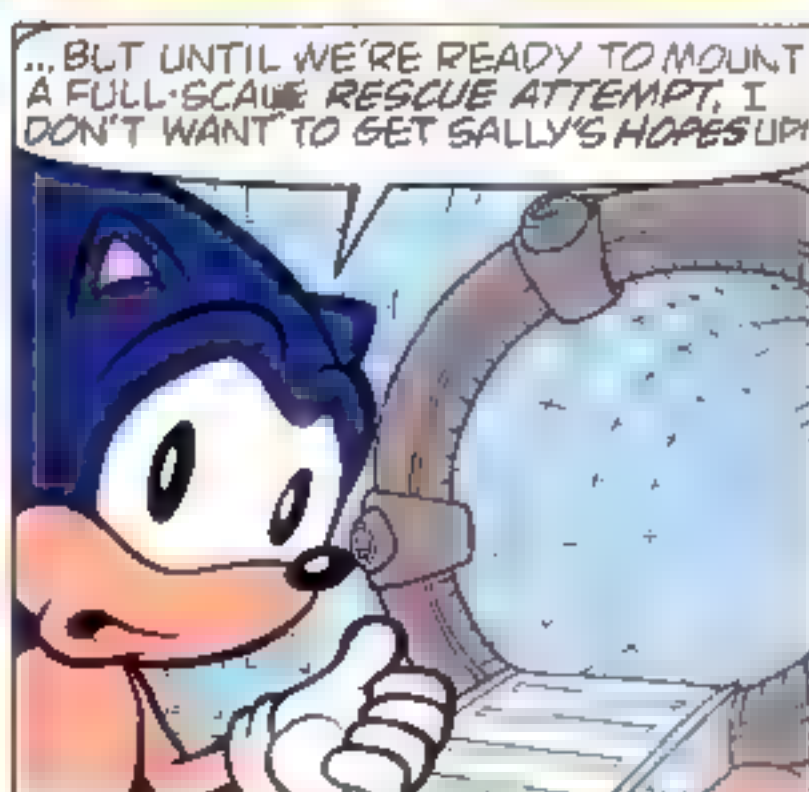
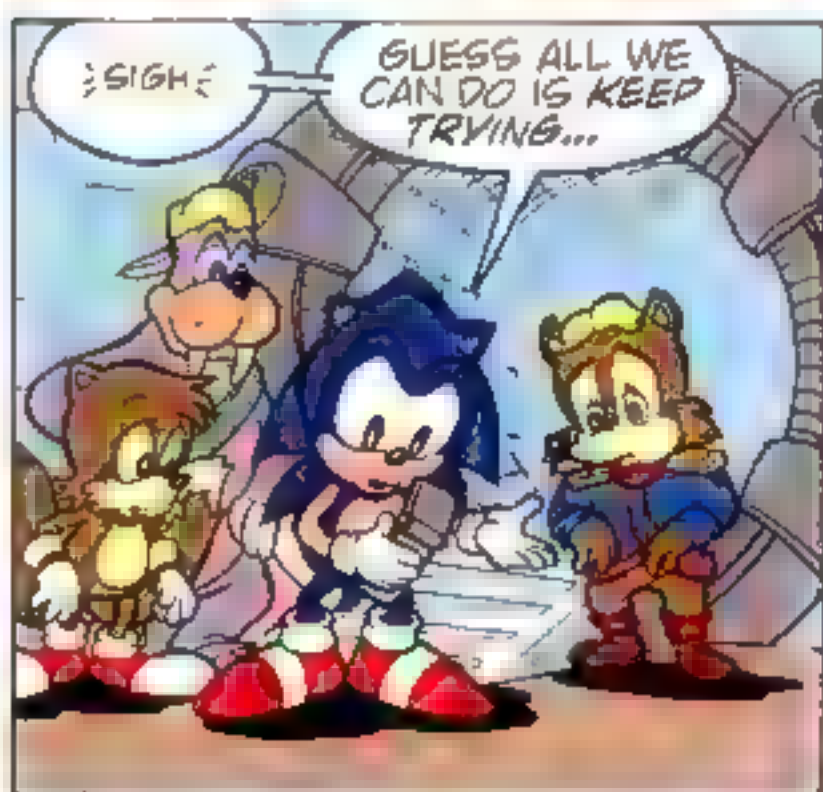
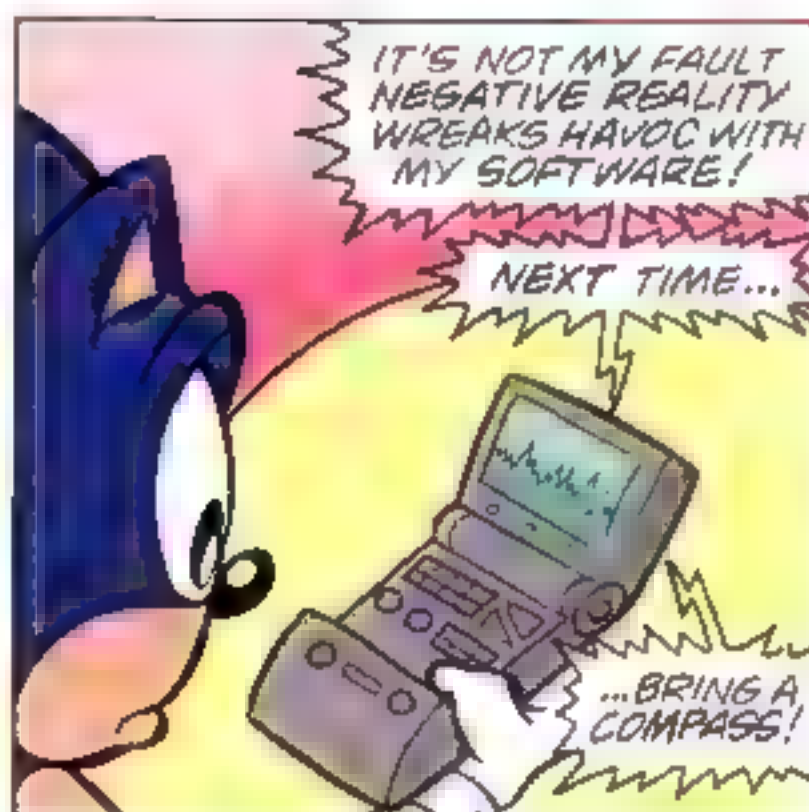


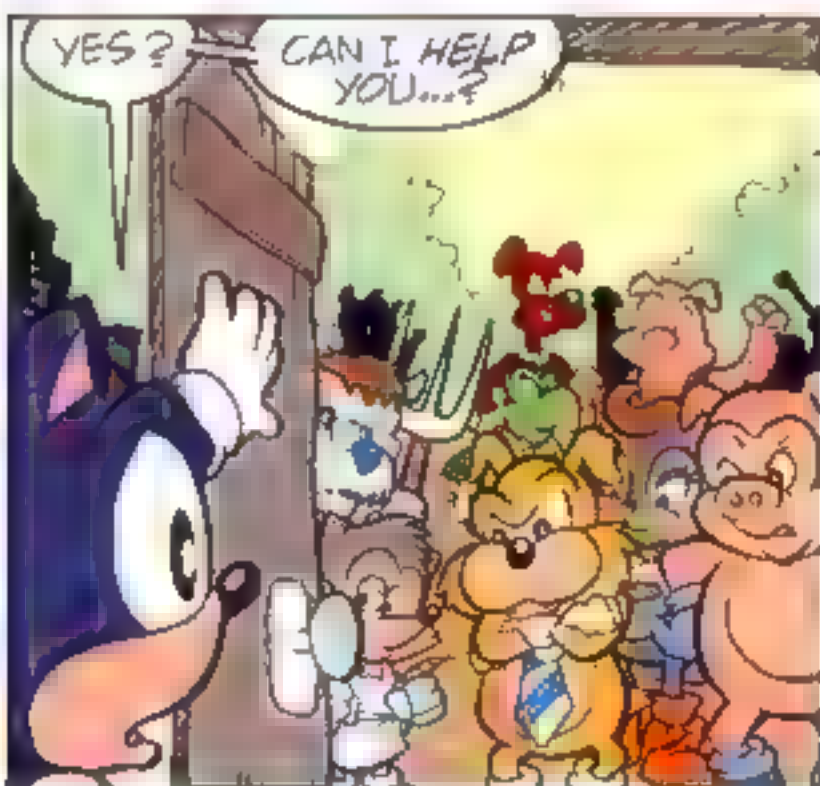
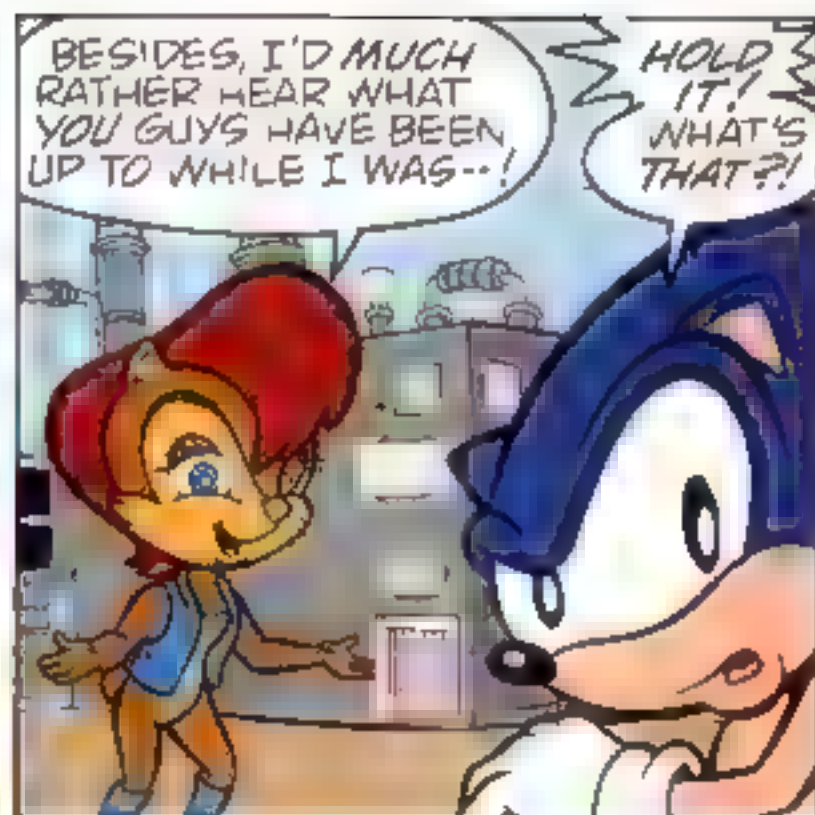
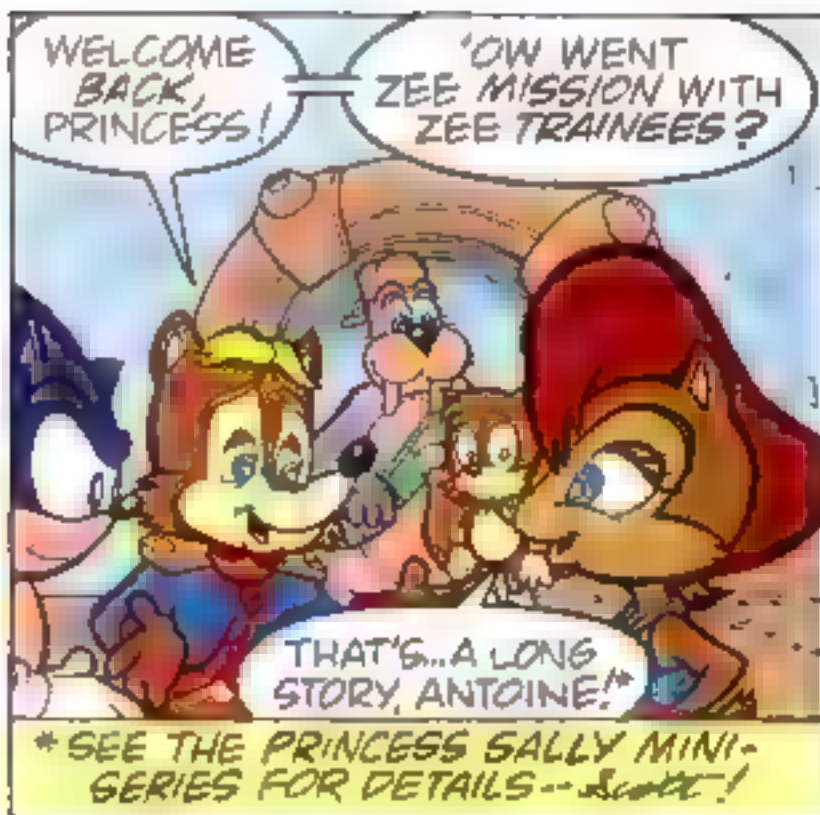


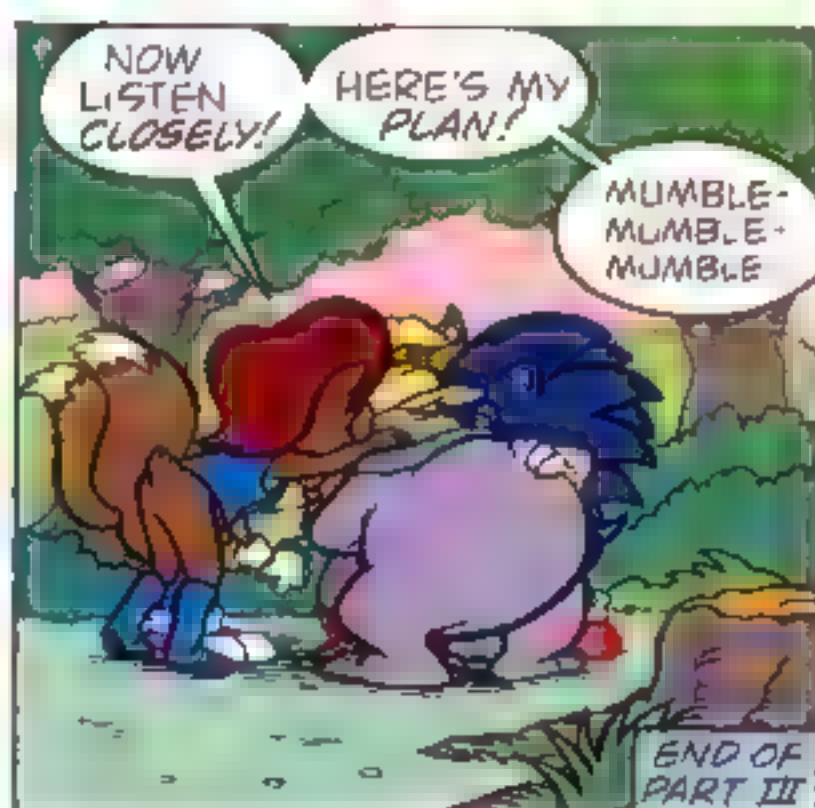
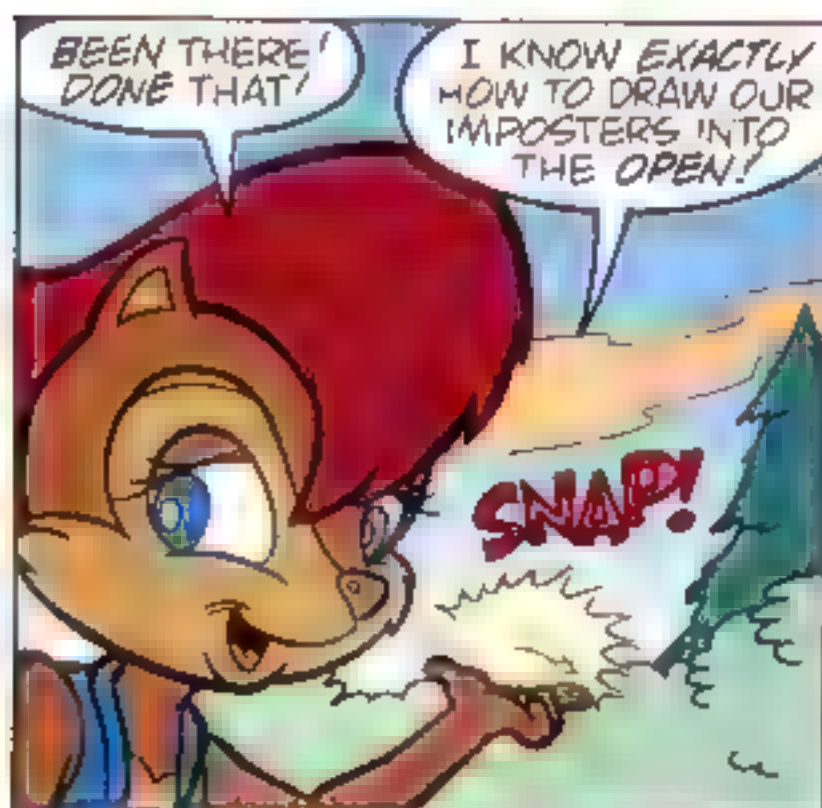
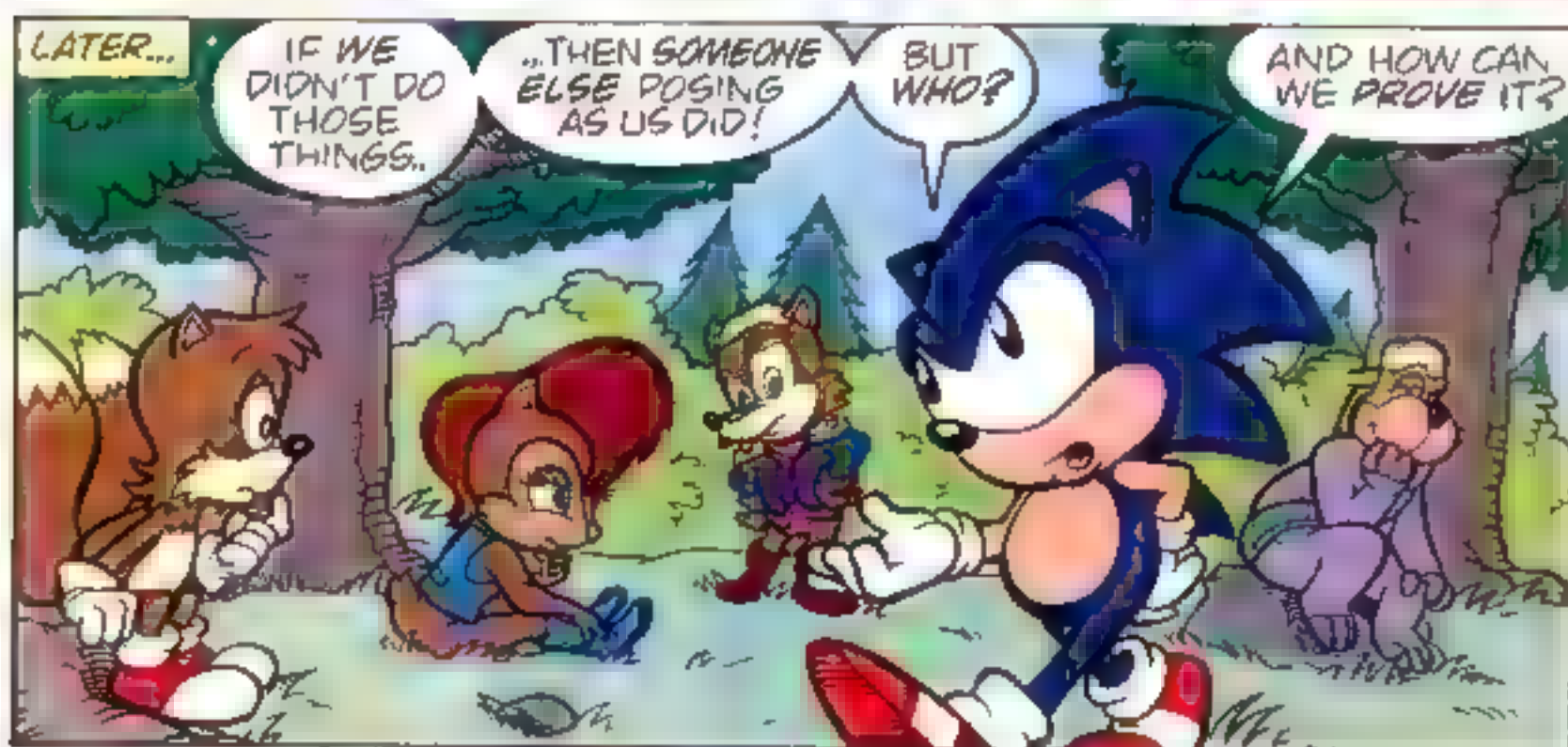
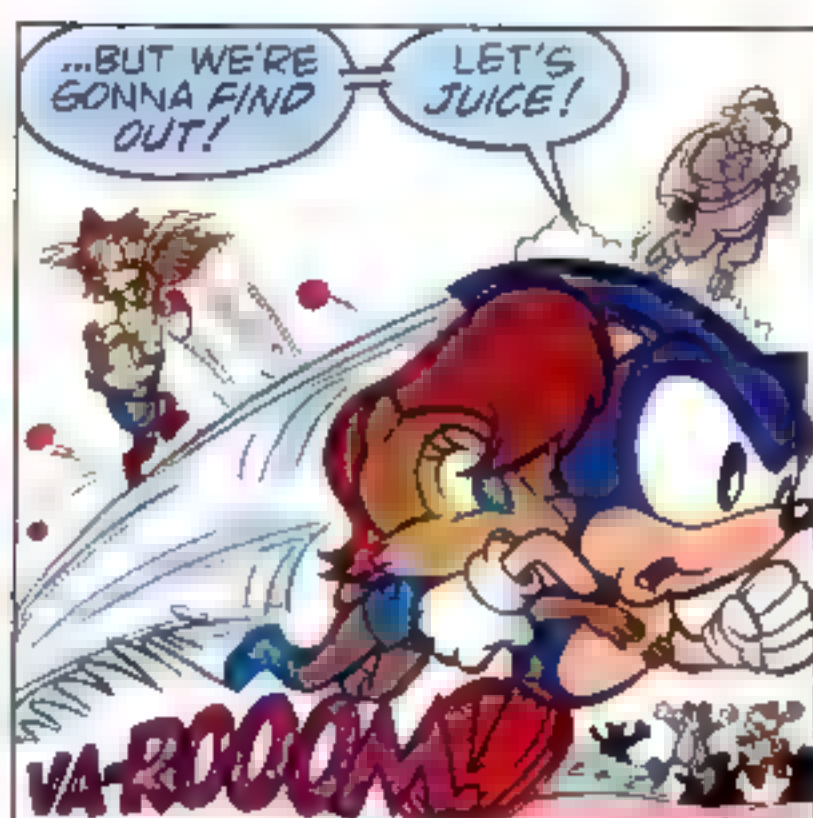
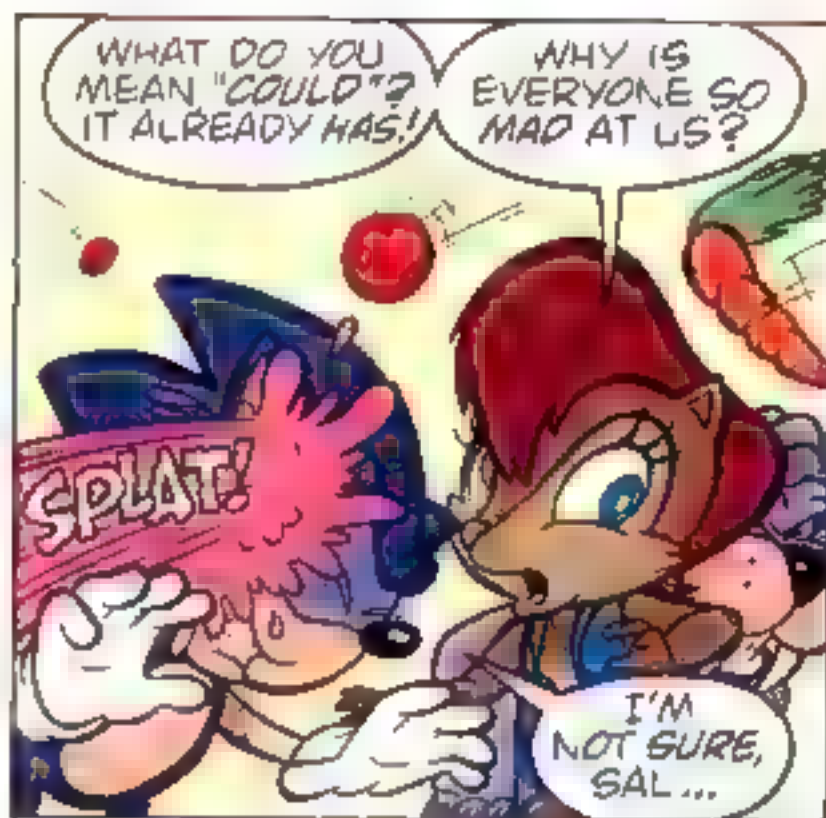


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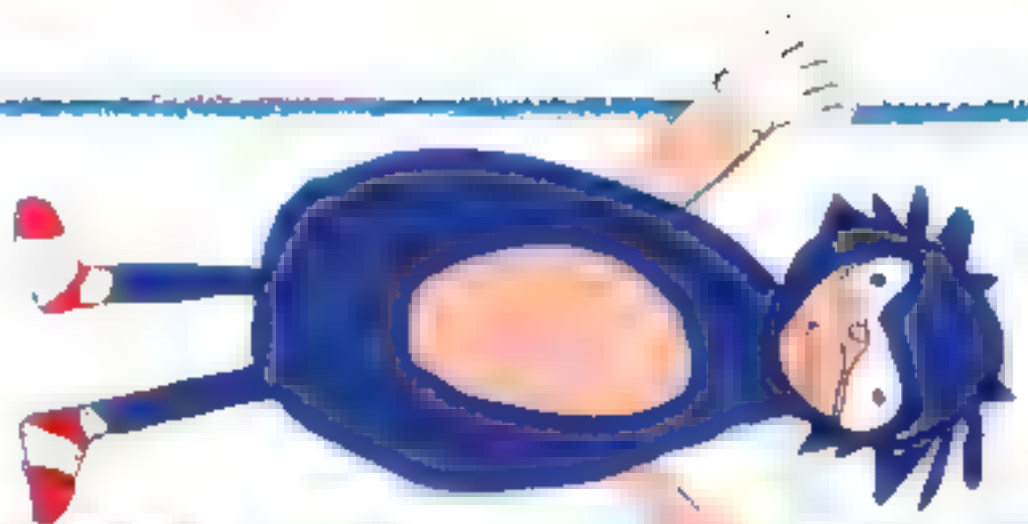
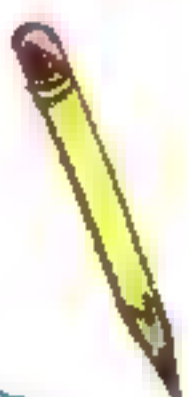








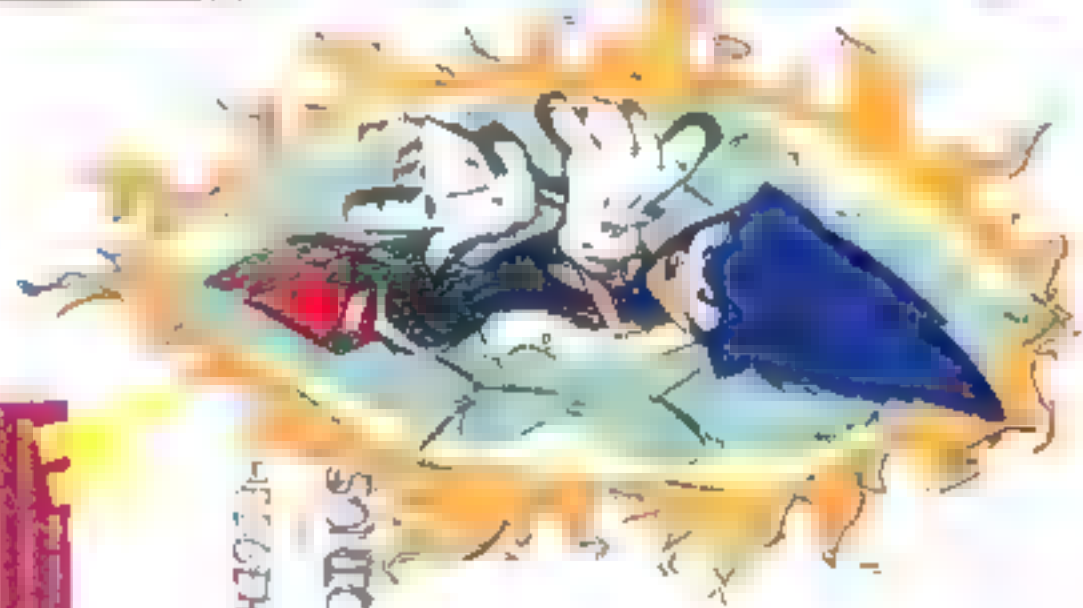
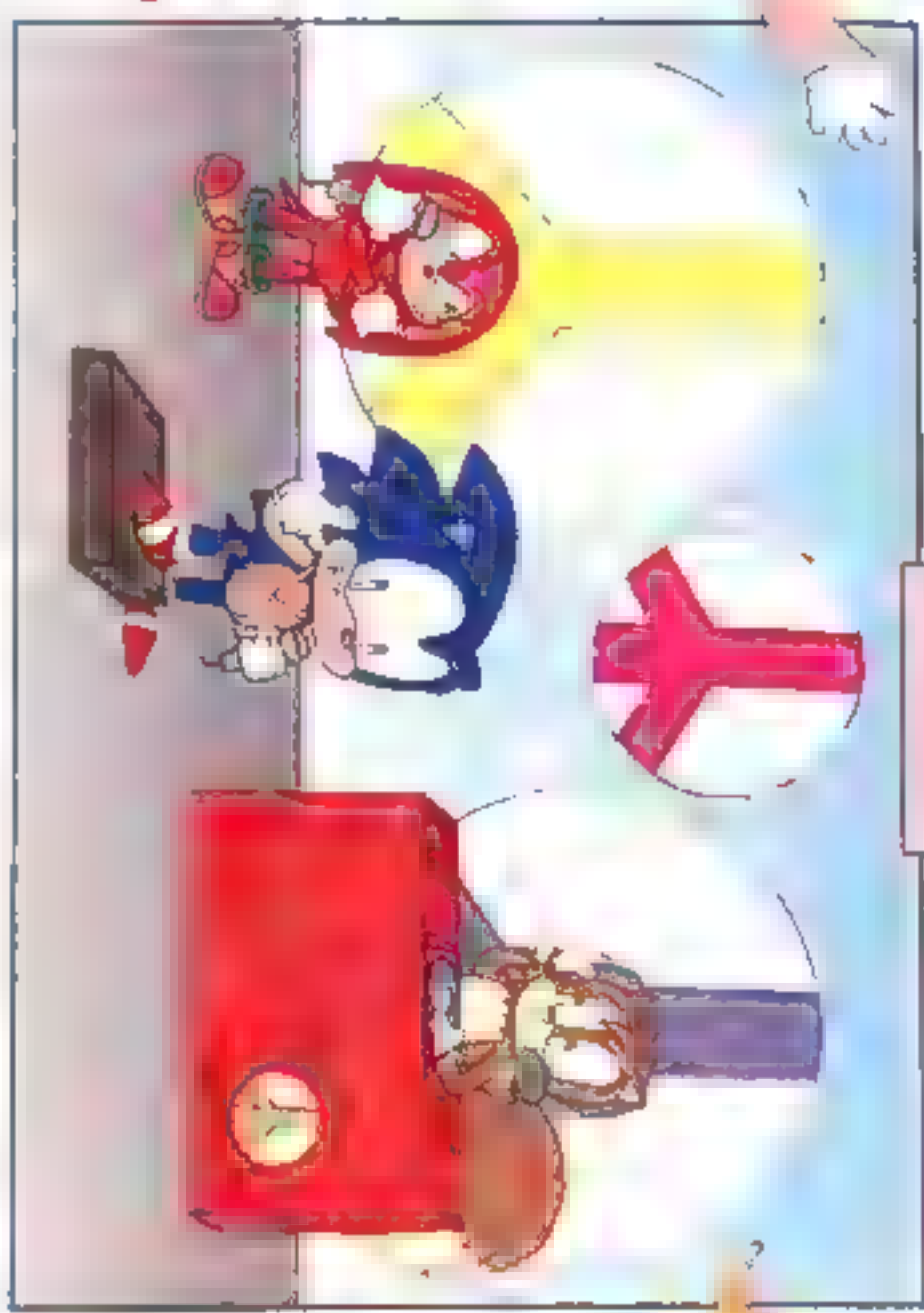
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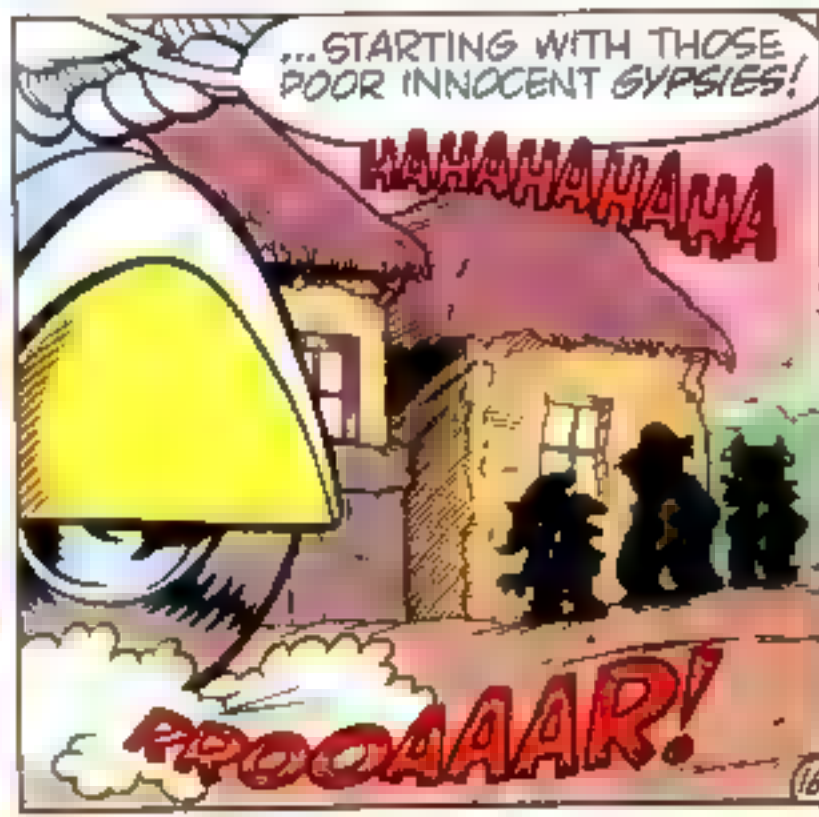
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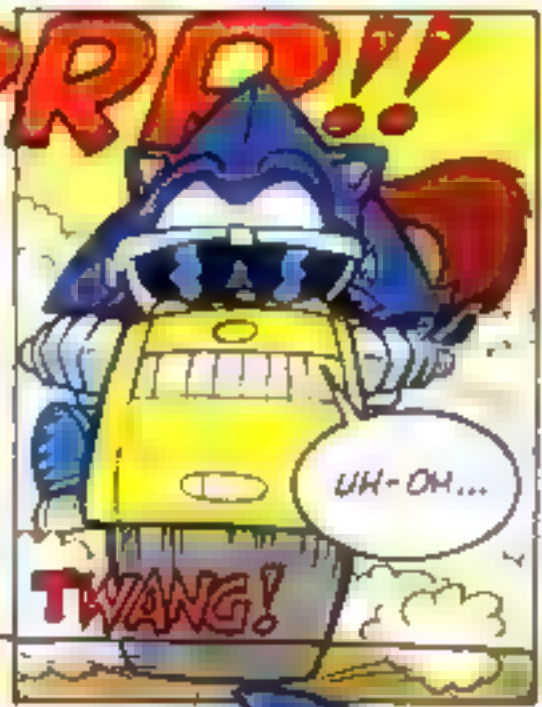
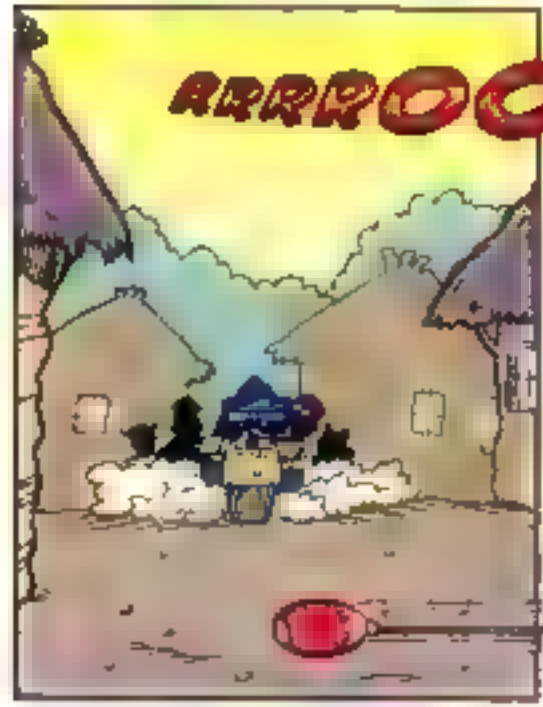
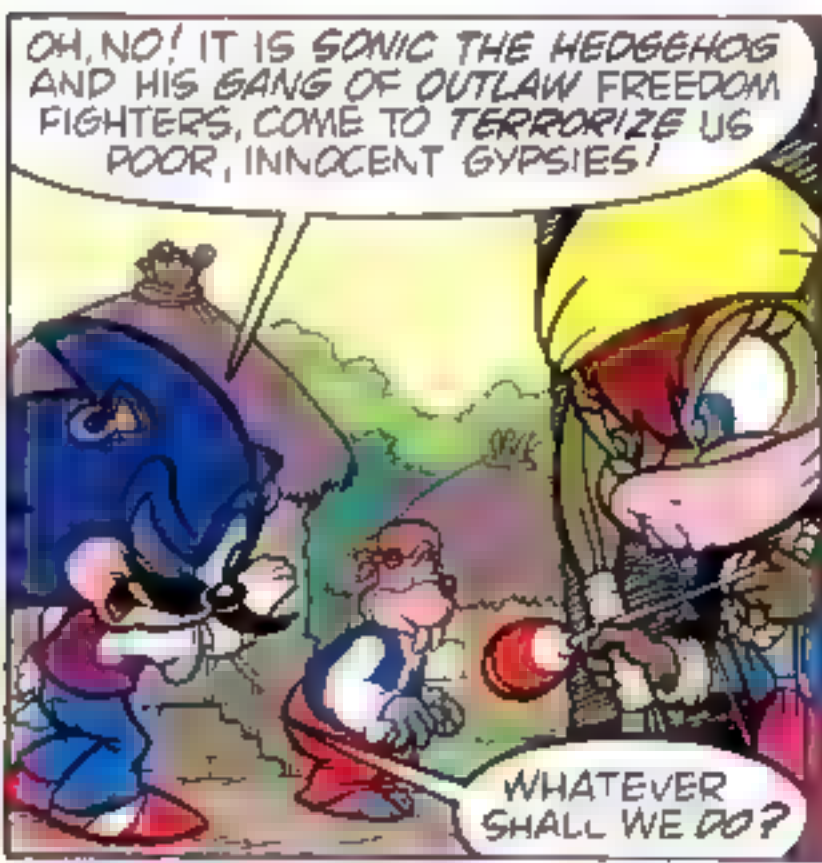
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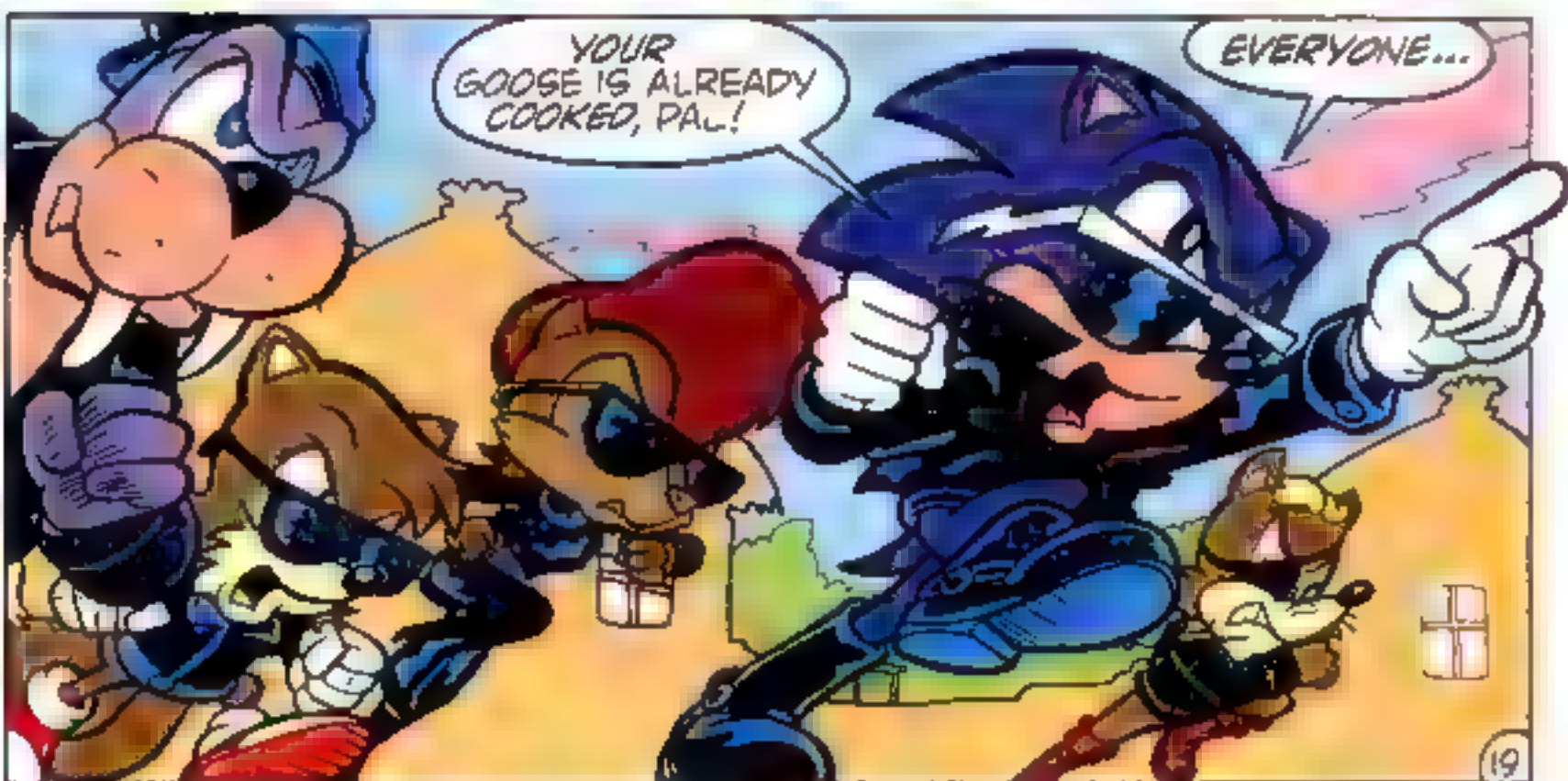
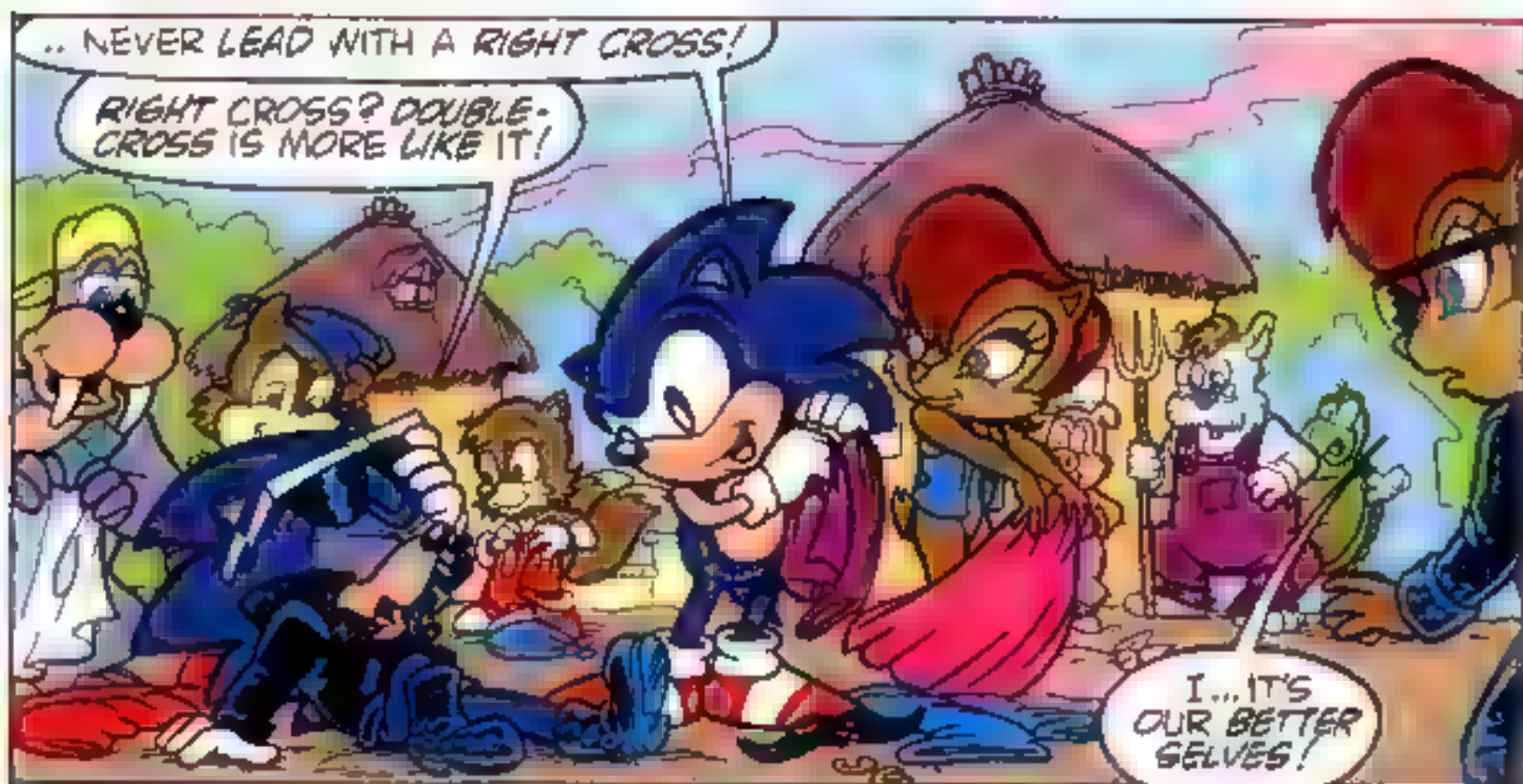


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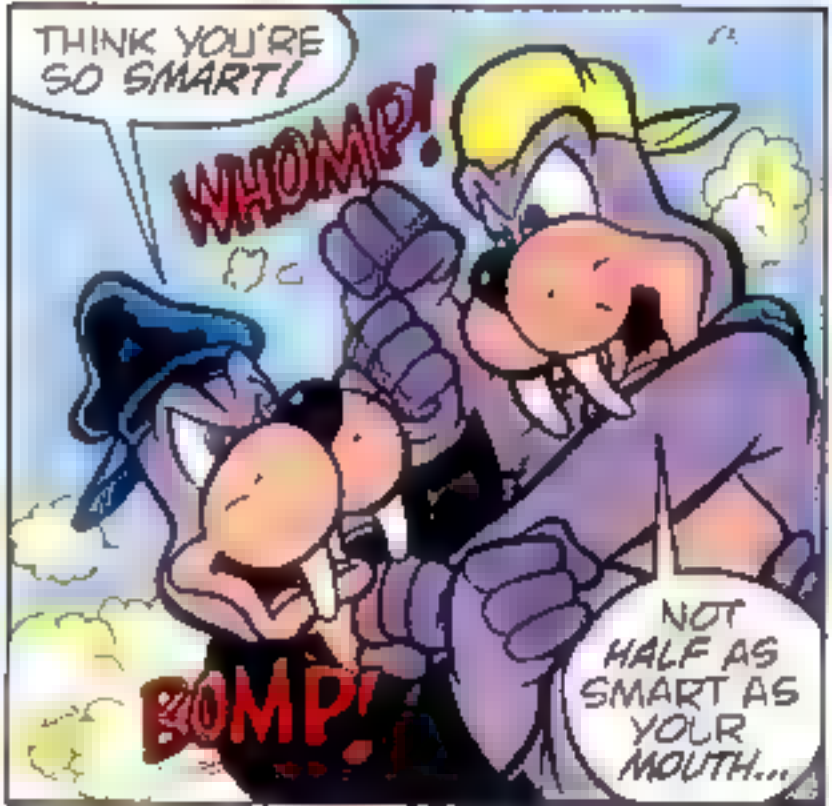
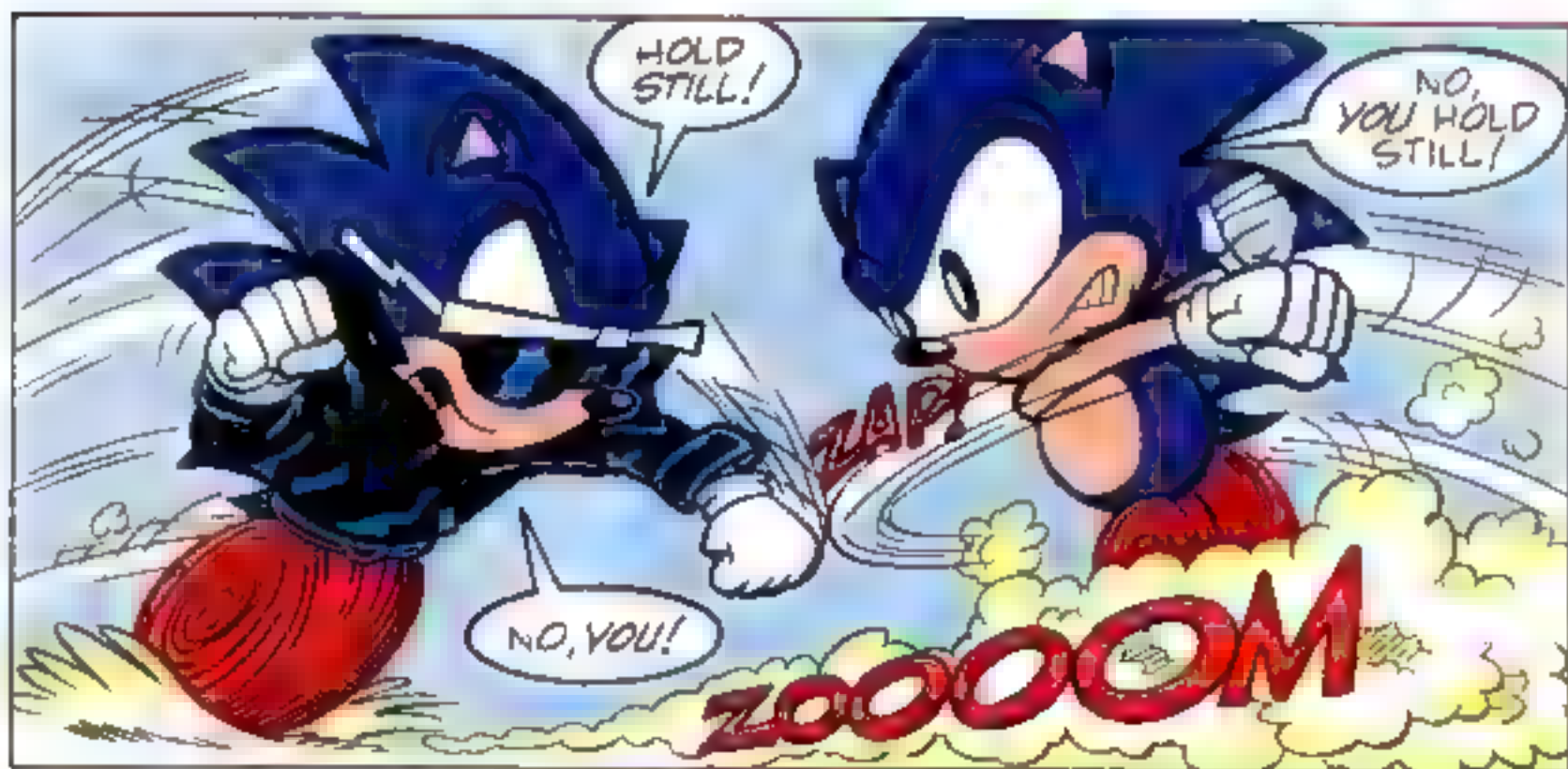


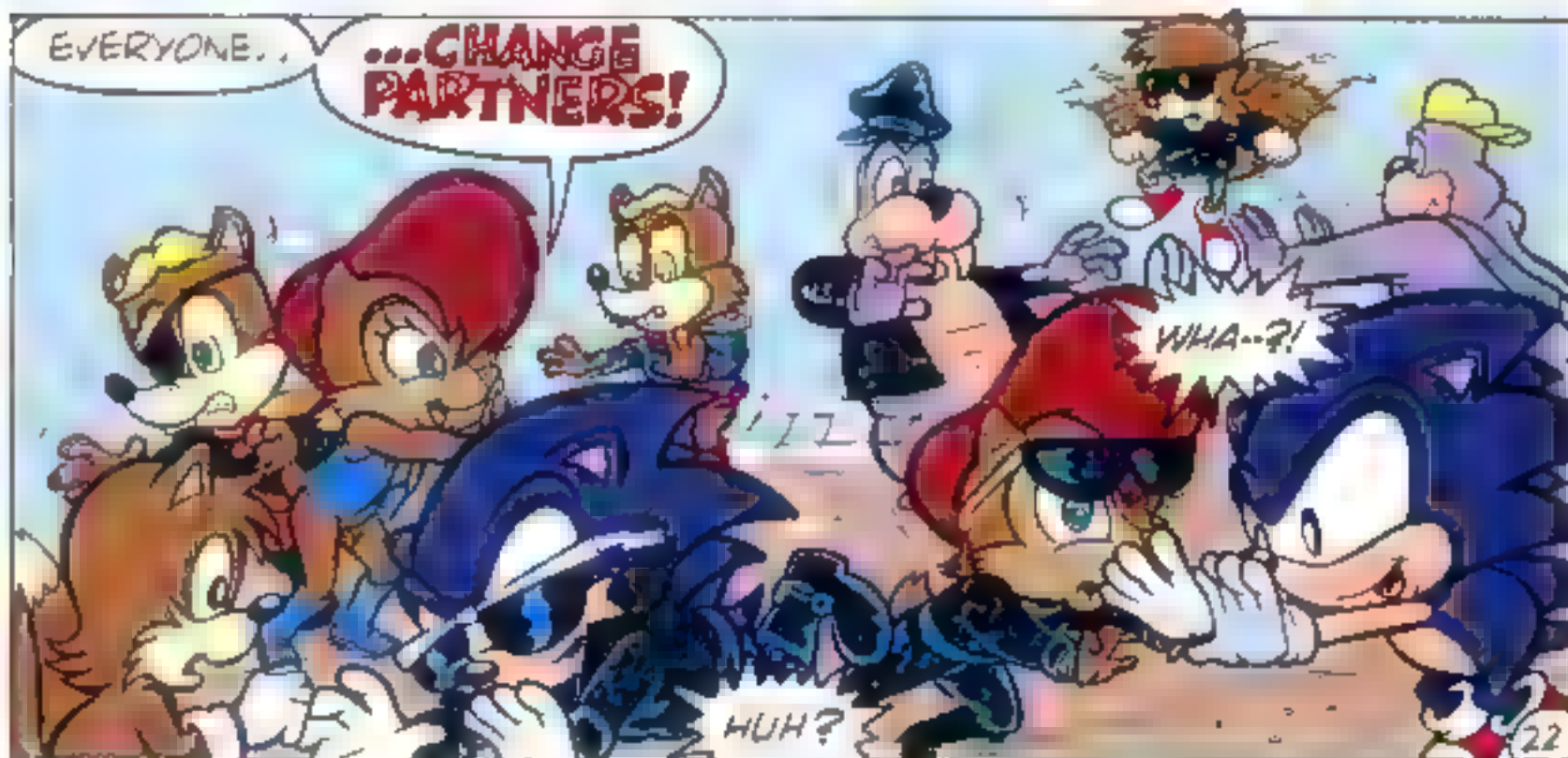
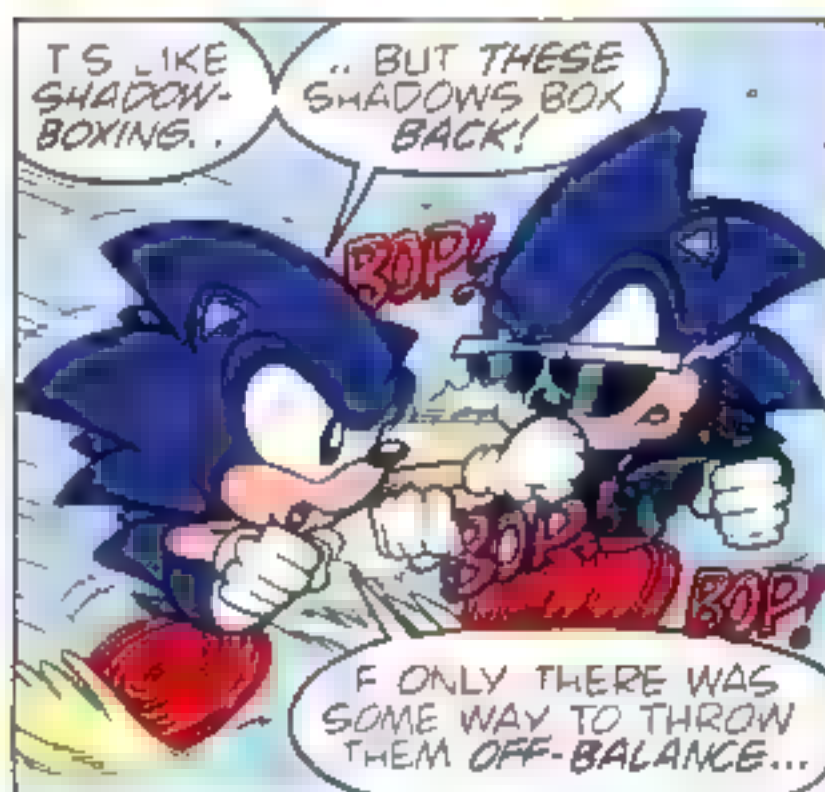
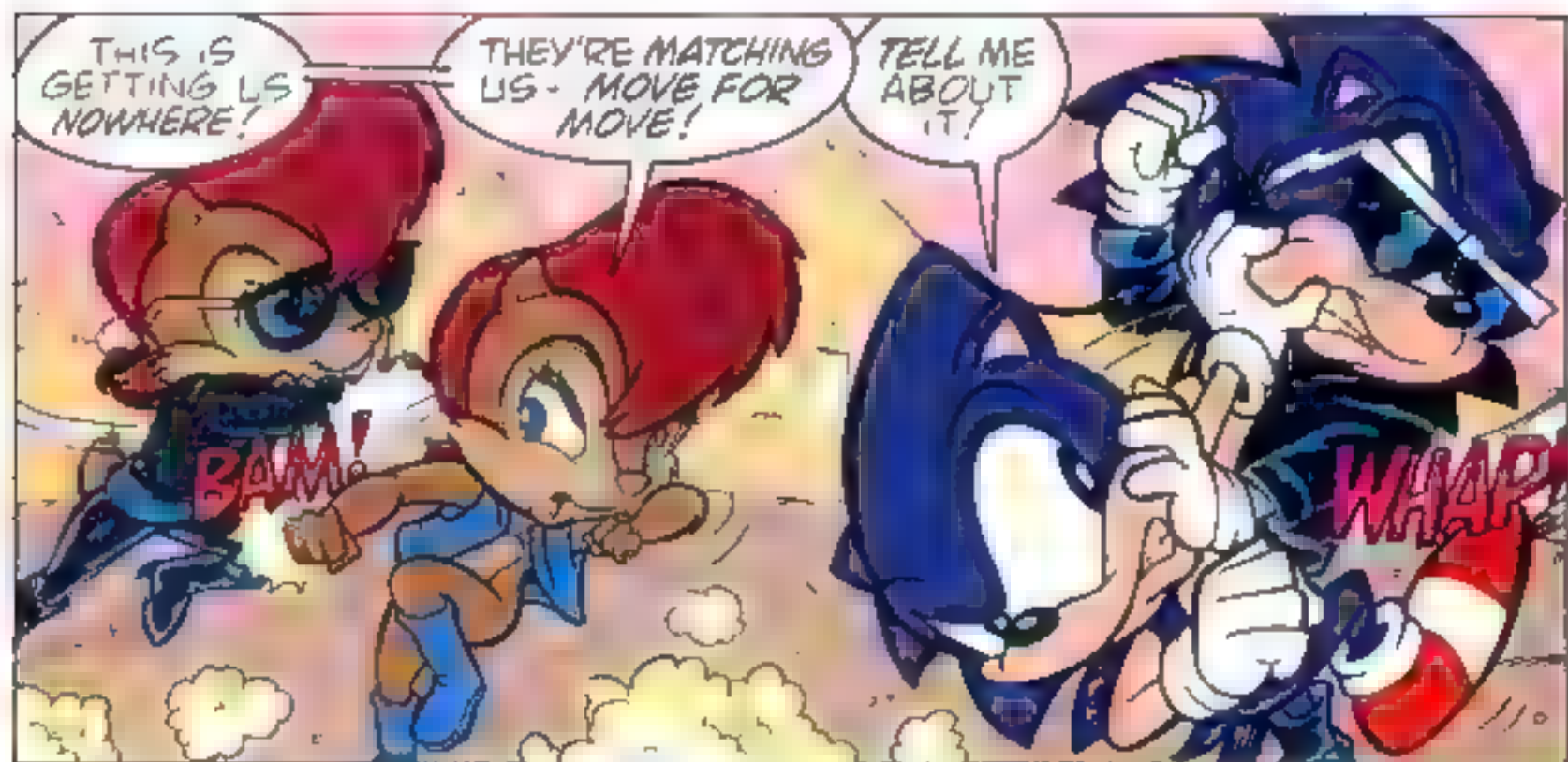


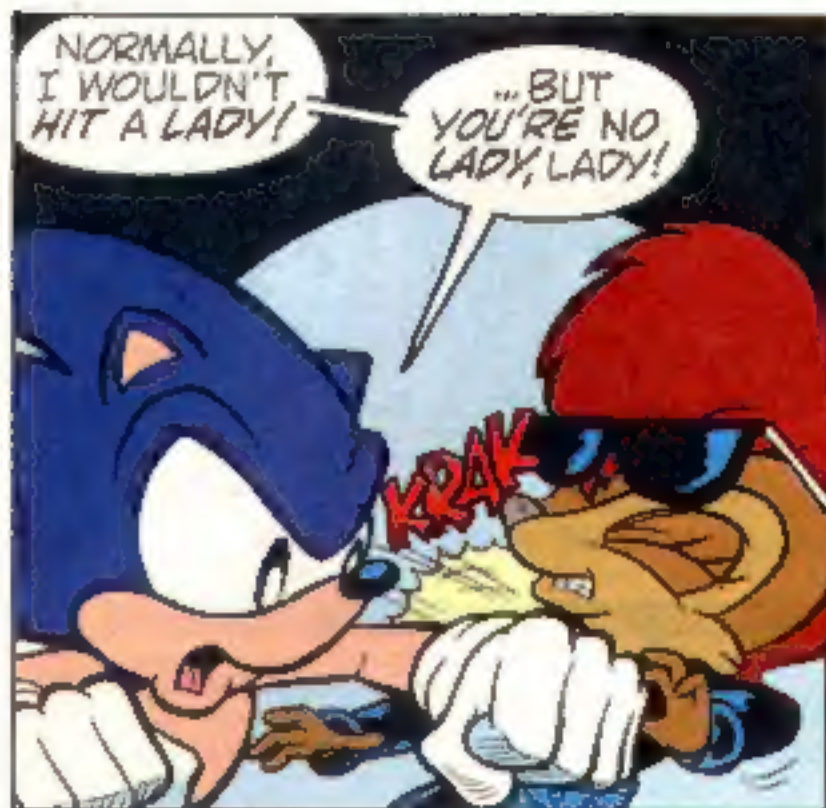


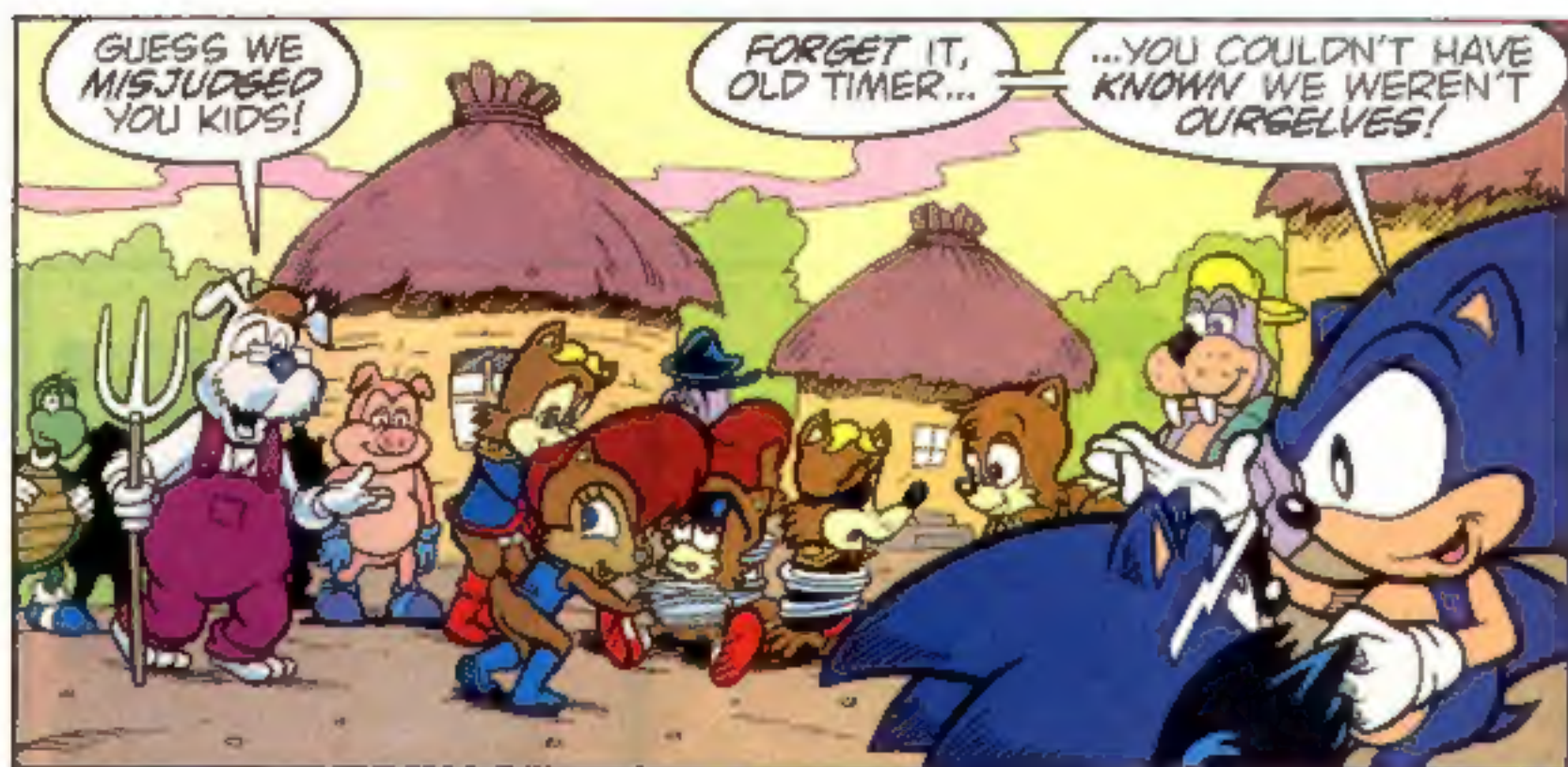
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NOT ONE...BUT TWO!

This month, I've got two way past cool Sonic comics I have to tell you about -- and I know every die-hard Hedgehog fan is going to want to collect them!

For months I've received hundreds of letters demanding his return -- and who am I to say no?! Finally, he's back...everyone's favorite **echidna...Knuckles!**

Our all-new **Sonic & Knuckles** comic adapts America's favorite home video game (for Sega Genesis) into a dynamic 48-page **Special!** This **number one collector's edition** features a dynamic cover by fan favorites Patrick Spaziante and Harvey Mercadoocasio, and it's colored by Heroic Age (remember the awesome color they created for the Princess Sally covers?). The lead story is directly inspired by Sega's video game graphics and spotlights danger with Knuckles' floating island. Also, for the first time in Sonic's comic, you'll thrill to the awesome **art work** of writer **Ken Penders** on a **Knuckles solo story!** Want more? How about the thrill of seeing inker **Harvey's** penciled and inked **art work** on another Knuckles solo story?! You can purchase this comic at your favorite comic shop or newsstand, or use the coupon located elsewhere in this issue!

Do you want even **more??**

How's this: Next month we celebrate the **twenty-fifth** issue of everyone's favorite blue blur! To commemorate this landmark issue, we've created a special cover that not only features art by Pat and Harv, not only is colored by Heroic Age, but also features special **silver ink** to give it a "polished metal" look! Why? Because the book-length story adapts **Sega's Sonic CD Game** featuring **MECHA SONIC!!** The interior art is also by Pat and Harv, and it marks the return of superstar scripter **Mike Gallagher!**

If ever there was a month of super Sonic satisfaction, next month is it!

Be there!

Aloha!

HEDGE- HOG ALERT!

Last month we

announced the

winners of the

"Do-It-Yourself"
Sonic
Contest.

Unfortunately,

three winners --

CAULDER
BRADFORD,
DEREK
WERSTIUK
and **LAURA**
RUBLE -- have

moved and we have no
forwarding address.

Guys, If you're reading
this issue and would like
to claim your prizes,

please write
Associate Editor
Freddy
Mendez

at the above address and
let him know **your** new
address! **Thanks!**



Dear Knuckles,

I am your #1 fan. I hope you make a return in future issues. I hope you will eventually gather the seven Chaos Emeralds. What color are you when you are "Super Knuckles"? I hope you and Sonic will become friends. Together you could beat up Dr. Robotnik.

Kyle Weaver
Oak Harbor, WA
Age 7

Hey, Kyle, your favorite echidna here! When I gather my Chaos Emeralds I actually become "Hyper Knuckles," and I turn a pinkish color. Want to see more of me? Check out the info elsewhere on these pages!

Dear Knuckles,

You're the greatest of them all! I love **Sonic & Knuckles** for Genesis. I wish you could make a game where you send "Robug-head" outta this universe! I made up a character named Trans-Knuckles. If you want to meet him, come to my house Saturday between the hours of 2 P.M. and 4 P.M. Well all I've got to say is... cho!

Jimi Rafferty
St. Louis, MO

Dear Sonic,

I have been your biggest fan ever since your first video game. I have all your comics except issue #s 0 (from the



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mini-series) and 21. I really liked Princess Sally #1. Also, I just got Sonic #22 and it is fabulous! I like all the characters in your comic (except for the badniks of course!) I have a couple of questions for you:

- 1) Is there going to be a "Sonic In Your Face" issue #22?
- 2) Will we be seeing more of Knuckles?
- 3) Can I get Sonic the Hedgehog issue #21 without waiting for the back issue offer to come out?
- 4) Is Tails going to have his own mini-series?

Evan Mowak
Magle Plain, MN
Age 12

Thanks for the good words, Evan! As for your questions:

1&2: My next 48-page special comic book won't be called "Sonic In Your Face." Instead, as stated elsewhere on these pages, it will be a number one collector's edition called "Sonic & Knuckles"!

3. Your best bet is to check out your favorite comic shop.

4. Definitely! You heard it here first! (I think!) Tails' mini-series will be on sale next Fall! Details to come!



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